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LOCKED IN THEIR CELLS

No Chances Taken With the San Quentin Convicts.

A CASE OF STARVE OUT.

Warden Hale and the Directors Determined to Bring the Convicts to Time.

OPIUM TRAFFIC CAUSED IT.

The Fiends Will Sacrifice Anything to Get the Drug to Their Cells.

REFORMS ARE SUGGESTED.

Director Fitzgerald a Stout Advocate of the System Used in Australia.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN QUENTIN, Cal., May 28.—There were no new developments in the situation at the State Prison this morning as neither the authorities nor the striking convicts were in a position to make any further demonstration one way or the other.

In view of the determined attitude assumed by the convicts yesterday, Warden Hale concluded it would be unwise to try the experiment again of lining the men up in the jute mill and ascertaining whether or not they were willing to resume labors.

In order, therefore, to convince the strikers that no further nonsense would be tolerated that official will leave the 400 placed in solitary confinement on Thursday afternoon in their cells until Monday, by which time he confidently expects they will have reached the conclusion that the officials and not the convicts are running the prison.

Should they not realize their error meantime, harsher measures will probably be taken to bring them to a proper sense of their position in the premises, but what these are the officials decline to predict.

Warden Hale is resolved to impress upon his fractious wards, once and for all that he will not be bluffed and his next move will probably convey that fact to the discontented jute miller.

FITZGERALD TALKS.

The Prison Director Expresses Himself on the Strike.

The strike at San Quentin is in many resepects a remarkable affair. The entire force of 720 men employed in the jute mill refused to go to work yesterday until certain demands they made were complied with. They asked for a reform in the kitchen, that Captain Chappelear the steward be removed, and that all the present cooks be discharged and the prisoners be allowed to name their own cooks. Furthermore they demanded the privilege of receiving fresh fruit and outdoor supplies.

The strike occurred at 7.30 A. M. The men work from that hour until 4 30 P. M. with three quarters of an hour interval at noon for luncheon. The engine started up as usual but the men refused to work and when ordered to do so by the guards, each convict stood silent and sullen but would not raise a finger to commence work.

Warden Hale came quickly to the scene and on hearing the grievances and what the men demanded told them their requests would not be complied with. He then ordered them to work but they again refused. The incident closed by the officers picking out 400 convicts who were placed in solitary confinement on bread and water diet Seventy of the prisoners who were thought to be the ringleaders were locked up in the dungeons and so the day came to an end

Prison Director R. M. Fitzgerald of this city received full advices of the matter in this morning's mail from San Quentin. Warden Hale reported to him a detailed account of all that had occurred and explained the situation thoroughly.

"No, there has been no call issued for a special meeting of the Prison Directors," said Mr. Fitzgerald to a Tribune man "The convicts' trouble was investigated yesterday by Director Wilkins and he found no cause for grievance on their part. Warden Hale has already taken action regarding the ringleaders and the mutiny will certainly be quelled.

"It is ridiculous for the men to make complaints about not being properly fed," continued Mr. Fitzgerald. "The Directors have frequently inspected the kitchens and arrangements at meal times and although it is of course said that as they know we are coming everything is better than usual. I do not think that is the case. The food is all good, pure and wholesome and is supplied according to the contracts. As for the cooking, it is done by the prisoners themselves, the selections being made from the good cooks who now and then get into the jail.

"The convicts are well fed Their diet consists of roast beef, beefsteaks, soup, potatoes, fresh bread, pork and beans and coffee and the men who work get meat three times a day or twice a day alternated with pork and beans or fish. They get regular allowances of roast beef and steak and there is no limit to the bread, coffee and so forth.

"I think the present trouble is due to the opium fiends. Try how we will, it seems impossible to keep the drug out of the prison, but of late a rule we made cut off most of their supplies, and I think the fact that opium is getting scarce there has much to do with the strike. The new rule I refer to was one cutting off the reception by the prisoners of food, fruits or supplies of any kind from the outside.

"I will give you an idea of why we had to do this. A pair of slippers was sent to 'Ohio Fatty,' one of the most dangerous criminals in our charge. It was noticed that the soles were not made in the regular manner, so they were cut open and this disclosed some paper money, one-dollar and three-dollar bills, which was to be used of course in the purchase of opium.

"On another occasion a fine turkey, cooked and dressed, was sent to one of the convicts. Artfully concealed in the center of the dressing was a large ball of opium. Some cigars sent to another prisoner proved to have dollar bills rolled in with the tobacco. The covers of books have often proved receptacle for money and opium, and all kinds of tricks have been played with fruit—for instance holes would be bored and scooped out, opium put in and then the surface all fixed up again.

"We found that the only way we could check this sort of thing was by making a flat rule that nothing from the outside should be received for the prisoners. This is now in effect, and as I said before, I think the fact that this means of obtaining opium has been cut off has much to do with the present disturbance.

"It is astonishing what these men will do to get the drug. It is the greatest thing we have to fight, and strive as we may, we seem impossible to check it. Why, we have taken away as high as six years' credits from a man for having opium but even that has done no good. The drug gets into the prison in all sorts of ways. In addition to the medium of outside supplies which we have now checked, it is planted around the jail by discharged prisoners. The men going out make an agreement with those inside as to where it will be left and there are many opportunities to bury it. On the road for instance, where our convict gangs are working there is nothing to prevent outsiders from hiding opium where they know the men will be laboring, and although we frequently search them afterwards they succeed in secreting it. Then again the men working around the warden's house, the officers' quarters, etc., have lots of opportunities and it has been claimed that some of the free men employed in the prison have sold it to them, though I doubt very much that this sort of traffic is going on now.

"The reason the men have money sent in to them is so that they can use it for the purchase of the drug and also to give to those about to be discharged so that they will come back and plant it for them.

A NEW SYSTEM.

"In my opinion our entire prison system should be changed," added Mr. Fitzgerald, "and I, for one heartily advocate the plan in vogue in Australia. When a prisoner goes to the penitentiary there he is placed in the first grade for a term varying according to the length of his sentence, and ranging from three to six months. While in this grade he is continually in solitary confinement, his board is the most frugal possible consisting principally of bread and water, his work is the most severe within the prison walls and when tired and hungry his day is over he goes to a dark cell where he sleeps on boards with just enough blankets to keep away the cold. By the time this preliminary experience is over the prisoner realizes that law breaking is accompanied by severe punishment.

"If the convict has behaved well during this first term and has shown a disposition to abide by the rules of the place he is at the expiration of the time of this pseudo apprenticeship promoted to a second class. He now gets more privileges. He is given a companion in his cell, his food is better, his work lighter and his accommodations more comfortable. In this way he passes along for another period of his imprisonment and then if he has still proved a good prisoner he is once more promoted to the third and highest class. In this grade he gets the fullest privileges possible to accord a prisoner and if the conditions permit it he is released on ticket-of-leave and simply has to report once a month to the authorities. Furthermore he is not sent out on the world with the stigma of jail-bird attached to him—the system there includes the obtaining of work for him and the giving him of every opportunity to lead an honest life.

"So much for the inducements held out for a prisoner to behave properly and now for the other side of it. Should he prove vicious, hardened, and incorrigible he is kept continuously in the first grade and sooner or later his rebellious spirit is broken and he is only too glad to reform. Furthermore, if after his promotion, he gives any trouble back he goes again to the first grade and commences another six months there, having to cover every step of his way upwards again.

"This system has proved infallible. The horrors of the first grade have such a lasting effect on the men that the

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HE FACED A GUN.

How a Clerk at Levin's Prevented Threatened Bloodshed.

STOOD BETWEEN COMBATANTS.

Offered Himself as a Target for a Companion's Bullets.

THE SHOOTER DISTRACTED

A Very Spirited Encounter Out of a Friendly Sparring Bout.

There was a lively fight this morning in Levin's grocery store at the corner of Tenth and Washington streets, and it drew a large crowd in a very short time. It was the result of a friendly boxing match. The participants were Frank Herricks, who keeps a cigar stand in Levin's show window, and Dick Briggs, one of the clerks in the store.

The two met at 8 o'clock in front of the store and commenced boxing with open hands in a friendly way. Briggs was trying to knock Herrick's hat off, and accidentally struck rather low, catching Herricks on the ear.

In a moment Herricks, who has a hot temper, was slogging at Briggs' head as fast as he could use his arms, and when Briggs saw that his assailant was angry he closed in on him and threw him to the ground.

Then Briggs tried to get away, but before he could do so Herricks was up and had pulled a gun from his pocket.

John Rodgers, another clerk in Levin's store, who is a friend of Herricks, jumped in front of the gun and exclaimed dramatically! "For God's sake, Frank, shoot me if you're going to shoot anybody!"

The ringing tones of his friend drew Herricks' attention from Briggs, as it also scattered the crowd that had assembled and Herricks was induced to give Rodgers his pistol.

The men returned to their separate tasks and the crowd then dispersed. No arrests were made.

A CALIFORNIA SOUVENIR.

An Interesting Work to Be Issued by the State Board of Trade.

One of the most valuable publications relating to the resources and capabilities of California is announced by the State Board of Trade. This work will be issued for distribution during the Christian Endeavor Convention in July, with the intent of presenting the salient advantages of California in a compact and interesting form for the consideration of the 15,000 strangers who are expected to be in attendance upon the Convention.

The publication is in editorial charge of W. H. Mills of the Board of Trade and with rare discretion he has secured the assistance of able specialists whose articles have been prepared with a purpose single to a concrete presentation of the fact as it applies to California. For instance: Alfred Holman, of the "Pacific Rural Press" will write on "Agricultural Policies" meeting all the objections of Eastern agriculturists unfamiliar with Californian necessities; E. J. Wickson, of the State University will contribute a paper on "Horticulture;" Professor E. W. Hilgard will give a scientific explanation of the cause and effect of Californian climate; Elwood Cooper discourses on "Olive Culture;" I. N. Hoag, of Los Angeles, furnishes a paper on "Citrus Fruit Culture;" Charles A. Wetmore in a sprightly sketch entitled "In a Vine Growing Valley" reviews the practical and moral phases of viticulture in California; W. S. Green has an article on "Indigenous Forage Plants;" C. E. Grunsky treats of "Irrigation;" Samuel E. Watson offers valuable information concerning "Dairying in California;" and J. A. Finch, the Petaluma expert writes of "Poultry."

In addition to these articles on the special industries of California the following subjects will be treated in this book: "Early history of California," by D. R. Sessions; "Political Status of California," by Horace Davis; "Commercial Position of California," by W. L. Merry; "Mining," by Charles E. Uren; "Immigration," by John P. Irish; "Transportation," by W. G. Curtis; "Scenery," by John Muir; "Forests," by Charles H. Shinn; "Fruit Canning Industry," by J. F. Flickinger; "The Lick Observatory," by Director E. S. Holden; and "Californian Newspapers," by J. S. Filcher.

The book will also contain much statistical information from the latest available reports relating to the social, political, religious, fraternal, and charitable organizations of California, and it will be freely illustrated.

The cover will be a work of art in purple and gold, the colors of the Christian Endeavor Societies, and the frontispiece is designed from a handsome painting of a bunch of Californian poppies by Miss Eva Withrow. It is the intention of the designers to make it the most complete and practical compendium ever issued by any State organization on behalf of the resources of California and their adaptability to the intelligent industry of desirable immigrants, colonists and home seekers. There is no doubt that the effect of the effort contained in this publication will prove beneficial to the best interests of the entire community, and the public spirit of the Board of Trade in thus advertising the State cannot be too highly commended.

TIME TO BAG ONE.

Foot-Pads and Burglars Still Thrive in Their Calling.

A WOMAN MADE A VICTIM.

Held Up While Walking Along Seventh Street.

RESIDENCES ARE BROKEN INTO.

Thus Far No Good Clue Has Been Found to the Perpetrators.

As Mrs. M. J. Bradley was walking along Seventh street last evening she was robbed of her hand satchel containing $3 in coin and several articles of jewelry. The robbery occurred on the south side of the street between Brush and Castro streets.

Mrs. Bradley was proceeding along slowly when she noticed two men coming toward her. As it was quite early in the evening, she paid no attention to them nor did they seem to pay any attention to her till they were just opposite her. When one of the men snatched the satchel from Mrs. Bradley's hand and the two made off down the street.

It was all done so suddenly that the woman was bewildered and made no outcry. A man who was across the street at the time gave chase, but he was soon outdistanced by the robbers.

The description given of the men is meagre. One was naturally shorter than the other and the description shows that the shorter man looked like a Portuguese.

It is believed by the police that the men are the same footpads who held up Police Officer Boyce in Oakland, Nightwatchman Taggart in Martinez and Miss Annie Galloway in Oakland.

Several other robberies were committed yesterday evening The home of T. L. Horn, 1113 Alice street, was entered in broad daylight and considerable jewelry, an overcoat and several other articles stolen. The family was away all the afternoon and the burglary was committed during that time.

A Mexican bridle, valued at $3.50 was stolen from Kane & Daly's El Dorado stables, and the Haywards electric line reports that a steel bar valued at $6 was stolen from one of its cars.

The home of Ex-Mayor W. R. Davis, at 322 Twenty-second street was entered by burglars early yesterday morning and a quantity of clothing was stolen. The burglars made no noise and the household knew nothing of the occurrence till evening.

EXPECTED TOMORROW

Governor Budd About to Act on the Durrant Case.

Special to the Tribune.

SACRAMENTO, May 28.—Governor Budd's decision in the Durrant case will, it is expected, be rendered tomorrow afternoon.

The Governor will come here and give his decision from official headquarters.

WILL NOT MEDIATE

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MADRID, May 28.—A semi-official denial is given today of the published statement that President McKinley has made overtures to Spain on the subject of Cuba.

It is reiterated it is impossible for the Spanish Government to accept mediation on a question which "concerns Spain alone."

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KNOCKED HIM DOWN

Assistant Fire Chief Murdock Goes for Jack Rohan.

CLIMAX OF A LONG QUARREL.

Rohan Was Circulating an Affidavit Against Murdock.

GRAVE CHARGES CONTAINED.

The Fire Official Responded With His Clenched Fists.

Assistant Chief of the Fire Department Fred Murdock and Jack Rohan, foreman of hose 2, had a fist fight at Fourteenth and Washington streets at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Rohan is a well known politician, and it is understood that he has been making a fight against Murdock and Chief Fair.

For a week or so Rohan has been showing around an affidavit purporting to come from Harry Lawson, who is at present serving a term in San Quentin for holding up a man on the Twelfth street dam.

The affidavit sets forth that during the months of February, August and March, 1896, Fred Murdock, formerly assistant chief engineer of the fire department, visited his room on Webster street, between Eighth and Ninth. On the first visit he asked what Lawson was doing. Lawson replied that he was working occasionally for George Reid, and Murdock remarked that there was an easier way to make money—by giving the boys a run in the fire department. Lawson asked him what he meant by that, and Murdock answered by setting some of those rookeries on fire. Lawson answered that that was not in his line of business.

The affidavit then relates other meetings and of Murdock's arranging for meetings which Lawson would not keep. At one time Murdock, so the affidavit states, offered Lawson $200 for doing the work.

The object Murdock had in offering the money or wishing the rookeries fired is not given.

Shortly before 3 o'clock today Murdock met Rohan on the corner of Fourteenth and Washington streets, across from the City Hall, and said, "Jack, let me see that affidavit you have been circulating about me."

Accounts differ as to Rohan's answer.

Murdock claims that Rohan said he had no such affidavit, and Rohan says he answered that he would not let Murdock see it.

Which ever way it is, it is certain that Murdock answered:

"You're a —— liar," and struck Rohan a hard blow just above the eye.

Blow after blow was struck and Rohan was knocked down twice. Finally he got to his feet and away from Murdock running across the street into the City Prison. Murdock followed him to the prison door, and then turned and went around to the engine house.

Rohan went to Prosecuting Atorney Al Moore and swore out a complaint charging Murdock with battery.

When the battle was over Murdock appeared without a scratch, but Rohan was considerably worse for the blows. His nose was skinned, his head cut in several places and there is a "shanty" on his eye and another on the cheek bone.

He says that Murdock kicked him after he was down. This Murdock denies.

"I asked Rohan," said Murdock to a Tribune man, "to see the affidavit and he said he did not have it. His answer made me so angry that I suspended him and then gave him a thrashing. If he had not been a cowardly cur he would have stood up and fought me like a man.

"I stood up and fought as long as I could," said Rohan, "but he is too heavy for me and his superior weight forced me down. After he got me down he tried to kick the head off me. That shows what kind of a man he is."

The affair created the greatest excitement around the City Hall.

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M'COPPIN'S FUNERAL.

With Due Honors the Veteran Is Borne to the Grave.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—The funeral services for Frank McCoppin were celebrated at St. Mary's Cathedral at 10:30 o'clock this morning. The ceremony was a most impressive one.

There was a solemn high mass with Father Prendergast as master of ceremonies, Father Charles Ramm deacon, Father E. P. Dempsey subdeacon and Father Hunnegan assisting.

The pall-bearers were the following named prominent citizens of San Francisco W. F. Goad, Mayor James D. Phelan, J. Downey Harvey, Hermann Oelrichs, Judge W. T. Wallace, Judge Hayne, R. E. Doyle, General Forsythe, Joseph Clark, and C. H. Howard.

The funeral cortege was again preceded by four hundred postmen on foot. The remains were conveyed to Calvary Cemetery, where they were placed in the Donohoe vault with the usual interment ceremonies.

DIED BY THE ROADSIDE.

James Black of Mission San Jose Takes a Fatal Drive.

MISSION SAN JOSE, May 28.—About 2 o'clock this morning the dead body of James Black, a wealthy rancher of this place, was found on the road leading from Arlington to Warm Springs

Death had probably occurred several hours before.

Black had spent the early part of the evening in town, and had started home quite late.

He had been drinking some, but not enough to cause him to lose consciousness of what he was doing.

He was driving a frisky horse in a light open buggy, and it is supposed that the nervous animal became frightened, shied and threw the driver out. Black's head had struck a stone, inflicting a deep scalp wound and death was undoubtedly caused by concussion of the brain.

Black was 53 years of age and was one of the wealthiest farmers in the neighborhood.

He leaves a wife, but no children.

The inquest will be held this evening and the funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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MAY BE A MURDER

A Woman Found Hanging Back of a Hotel.

HER HEAD FRACTURED.

Nevada City Furnishes a Sensation and Much Work for the Police.

THE BODY IS IDENTIFIED.

She Proves to Be the Wife of Geo. Gehrig, a Well Known Man About Town.

INDICATIONS OF A STRUGGLE.

Pools of Blood and a Gory-Stained Club Found at the Scene of the Crime.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

NEVADA, Cal., May 28.—A woman who arrived at the National Exchange Hotel at 10 o'clock Wednesday night and registered as Mrs. Frances Zeitler of San Francisco, was found early this morning hanging by the neck in a woodshed in the rear of the hotel.

She had been dead several hours.

A cord around the neck was attached to a nail a foot above the head and the body was in a crouching posture.

The skull was fracture

Several pools of blood were on the ground a few feet from the body and there were marks on the ground indicating the body had been dragged to where it was found.

Some sticks of woodm near by were discolored with blood.

The woman is unknown here.

She was of medium height, thick set, about forty, had dark hair sprinkled with gray, dark blue eyes, plain black dress, and wore false teeth.

Public opinion is divided, the majority of the people believing murder.

The officers are conducting the investigation on the theory that the woman was beaten and then hung by her assailant.

IDENTIFIED AT LAST.

The woman whose body was found hanging this morning at the rear of the National Exchange Hotel was identified at noon by George Gehrig, the well known local brewer, as his wife.

She left home Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock and her husband's efforts to find her have been unavailing till now.

She sent a letter written in German to the Daily Transcript saying truth, virtue, and honesty are the noblest qualities of mankind, and charging her husband with being false to her.

Gehrig and their neighbors say she has been acting queerly for some time, and they believe she was insane.

She leaves six children.

The case continues to be wrapped in mystery.

The remains have just been removed from the City Hall to the Gehrig home.

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SHOT BY A BULLY.

Jim Bryan, a Race Course Tout Lays D. Cronin Low.

AN UNPROVOKED ASSAULT.

A Dangerous Wound in the Right Breast of the Victim.

THE ASSAILANT IN THE JAIL.

Facts Leading Up to the Fight and the Actors in the Affair.

Deputy Constable Denis Cronin was shot and dangerously wounded last night by a man who is known in the vicinity of the race track as James Bryan. The shooting took place in front of "Dog" Soule's saloon on Park avenue just west of the Handlett House, Emeryville and it was the outcome of an old grudge cherished by Bryan against Cronin.

The officer has a large beat to cover and, while in the discharge of his duties, he entered the saloon.

Cronin picked up a paper and glanced through it. At the time Bryan and a companion, named John McGinnis, were standing at the bar drinking. Bryan took his hat off exposing a scab on his head, when McGinnis remarked:

"Where did you get that mark?"

"That little —— Cronin, clubbed me," was the reply.

"I'd shoot any —— that clubbed me," said McGinnis.

In the meantime Cronin had left the saloon without Bryan seeing him. As he went outside, McGinnis observed the deputy and said:

"There goes your man; now is your chance."

The two immediately followed out to the door, but Bryan evidently did not see the deputy constable, which caused McGinnis to remark:

"You must be blind, Daffie, there he is," (pointing to Cronin).

Bryan was then standing on the step in front of the saloon, while Cronin was about twenty feet away. The latter turned at hearing the words and then Bryan whipped a pistol from his pocket and fired point-blank.

The bullet entered Cronin's right breast near the shoulder and ranged downward toward the lungs, lacerating the spinal chord. The wounded man fell to the sidewalk and several of the witnesses to the affair rushed at Bryan. He backed away, however.

Then the assassin walked up to the prostrated man and stood over him, with the revolver in his hand. Cronin tried to get at his weapon, but his arms were paralyzed. He moaned as he said:

"Well Jim, you've got me. Now go for a doctor. I'm done for."

Bryan started to do as he was told, but changed his mind. He went up to Soule, the saloon-keeper, and asked him to get assistance.

"It ain't healthy for me to go for no doctor," he said, "you get him one."

TO THE HOSPITAL.

Then he made his escape, running in the direction of the railroad track.

The patrol wagon was summoned and in it Cronin was conveyed to the Receiving Hospital, where he was made as comfortable as possible. Probing for the bullet proved unsuccessful. While the wound is a decidedly dangerous one, it is not necessarily fatal, though it may result in death.

As soon as the facts were made known, Sheriff White and Deputy Sheriff Al White started in pursuit of the assassin. Police Sergeant Hodgkins with detectives, covered the mole to head off the man in the event that he attempted to escape to San Francisco. Chief Lloyd went to Emeryville, while Marshal Cushing, of the town, scoured the outlying territory.

At 3 o'clock the Marshal caught Bryan and took him at once to the county jail, where he now is.

The fellow is but seventeen years old and is known as a race track tout. He has a bad reputation, while his idleness and dissolute habits have previously resulted in his arrest.

In fact, this is at the bottom of the shooting. Only a few weeks ago Bryan was arrested for vagrancy and the tout swore he would get even after his ten-day sentence expired.

Last night's shooting was the result.

BRYAN'S DEEDS.

At the time of the arrest Bryan made a desperate fight, making it necessary for Cronin to use his club before he could get the hand-cuffs on him. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital on May 2d, where Dr. Stratton dressed a scalp wound. The register shows that the boy has no occupation.

While on the operating table he frequently swore revenge, at one time remarking:

"Wait till I get a chance some time when I can take his star away from him. Then I'll fix him for this."

After his wound was dressed he was taken to the jail, where he served a short sentence. A couple of days ago he again appeared before Judge Clift, charged with battery. Cronin himself pleaded with the court to be lenient, as the prisoner intended going to Montana in the evening.

Judge Clift had intended to give him six months, but on his promise to leave the State at once, he was released. Then the boy thanked Cronin for saving him from doing time and departed for Emeryville, going to his lodging at the home of Mrs. J. P. Ross on Helen, between B street and the race track.

He had left $7.50 with the landlady and immediately on arriving requested her for $2.50. This was given him.

Meeting the McGinnis boy, the two started on a carouse. They soon became completely under the influence of liquor. Bryan remarked that he wanted to get even with a negro who had been bullying him before he left. Finally the boy determined to get a revolver and shoot his persecutor.

Accordingly he drew the remaining $5 and bought a pistol at Emeryville. This he loaded and then the round of the saloons was continued.

It was shortly after 10 o'clock when Cronin came on the scene. Fifteen minutes later the shooting took place.

After he ran toward the railroad track, Bryan went directly to his lodgings. He did not go in, however, but handed a "billy" to Mrs. Ross through a window. Then he disappeared.

It was nearly 3 o'clock in the morning before Marshal Cushing located the house. He went to the door and demanded of Mr. Ross, who opened it, to turn over Bryan.

Ross declared the boy was not in the house, but a systematic search was made nevertheless. Then, just as the officer was about to leave, he espied an outhouse about fifty feet away.

Forcing his way in he found the young assassin behind the door. To get the boy to the county jail was but the work of a half-hour. On the way down the prisoner refused to talk about the affair at all, though later to Al White he admitted the shooting, and was very anxious to know of his victim's condition.

The only regret he expressed was that he did not kill the negro who had been bullying him.

IDENTIFIED.

At 4 o'clock in the morning Deputy Sheriff Al White and Jailor Lane, took Bryan to the Receiving Hospital for Cronin to identify him. White asked the wounded man if he knew the prisoner.

"Yes," was the reply, "he is the fellow who shot me."

"I'm sorry, Denny," apologetically responded Bryan.

"Good bye, old man, I'm done for," answered Cronin.

When searched at the jail Bryan had $1.60 in change and the pistol with him. It was fully loaded, the boy having evidently replaced the empty cartridge with a new one.

A visit to the prisoner resulted in gaining no additional information.

"What's the use of talking, it can't do no good," was all he would say, though he declared he had made no admission to the effect that he had shot Cronin.

John McGinnis, whom Al White also arrested, to be held as a witness, would not talk either. He disclaimed all knowledge of the shooting, though said he had been with Bryan all day.

Cronin's condition is so serious that small hope is now entertained for his recovery. Dr. Stratton has refused to allow anyone to see him. The unfortunate man is almost completely paralyzed, while he has absolutely no control ove rhis lower limbs.

The bullet still remains in the wound for as it is in such close proximity to the spinal chord that probing is at present extremely dangerous.

His wife, child, mother and sister have been at the hospital nearly all day. The wounded man is a brother of Constable Jack Cronin and since his appointment has done very efficient work.

Bryan, who is also known as "J. P." and "Daffie Bryant," came here with the Eastern string of racers. He did little or nothing at the track, though he occasionally exercised horses. His home is in Tuka, Marion county, Illinois, where he says he has two brothers and a mother, who own farms. Two years ago he ran away from home and since then has been knocking about the country from Mexico to Montana. He intended to leave for the latter State today.

William Soule swore out a warrant this afternoon charging Bryan and McGinnis with assault to murder

At 3:30 o'clock this afternoon there was a slight change for the better in Cronin's condition.

LOCKED IN THEIR CELLS.

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most depraved and hardened criminals will lead exemplary lives during the rest of their terms, rather than return to it. It is a well known fact, too, that the most vicious criminals make the best prisoners when they know there is nothing to do but be subjective. It is the young fellows who think they are smart that cause all the trouble—the old-timers fear the consequences too much to try and buck against an irresistible force.

"If we could adopt this Australian system in our penitentiaries here I am sure the results would show a vast improvement over our present methods. The prison directors have, of course, in their power now to regulate the jails, and the only thing that stops us from putting it into effect is the lack of accommodations. It would require the building of another wing to the prisons and in this all the first grades could be kept in solitary confinement and boarded at a special table. At present we have not enough single cells to do it, and furthermore we have no way of giving them special board, as the men all sit down together and it is impossible to discriminate in the food unless they are placed so that they cannot see what the others are getting. We once attempted the experiment of grading the food for the various prisoners and it almost brought about a riot. Those getting limited food would snatch it from the tables of those who were more favored, and the trouble became so serious that we had to stop it and return to the old plan.

"The only trouble is that we will have to go to the Legislature and ask for money to inaugurate the new method and then, of course, the old cry will be raised about giving too much money to the prisons. If the members of the Legislature would only investigate, though, and weigh the advantages to be gained by the undertaking I am sure it would be adopted and then there would be an end to all trouble such as the present one—you never hear of such things as strikes in the English or Australian prisons and you would not here if we had the same system."

REFUNDING THE BONDS.

City Attorney Dow Wants to Settle That Issue of 1892.

City Attorney Dow is working on an ordinance to refund the $140,000 bonds which were first issued in 1882 and which became due October 1st, 1895. The last Legislature passed an act giving the Council the power to refund bonds without submitting the question to the people.

Mr. Dow believes that act to be unconstitutional, as the constitution provides that such propositions must be submitted to the people.

However that may be, Mr. Dow says the bonds must be refunded, so he will draw up the ordinance, have it passed and then get the Mayor to refuse to sign the bonds. That would bring the proceedings into court and would test the validity of the Legislature's act.

REST IN DEATH.

Mrs. Pauline Yager Dies Alone at an Advanced Age.

Mrs. Pauline Yager, an old lady 72 years of age, was found dead in her bed at 1006 Seventh street this morning.

The old lady had been troubled with heart disease and had been treated by Dr. Stratton, but as there was no doctor present, an inquest will be held this evening.

The deceased was a native of Germany.

She was the mother of George Yager, the plumber.

A DEADLY MEAL

Besson and Blight Find Death in the "Staff of Life."

ARSENIC IN THE BISCUIT

The Fatal Mistake Made by an Amateur Cook.

TWO SUBSTANCES CONFOUNDED

The Drug Supposed to Be So Much Baking Powder.

A remarkable case of poisoning occurred on the Morse ranch at Sunol yesterday and as a result two men are now dead. The victims were Fred Beeson and a man named Blight.

There is every indication that the affair was an accident.

A few days ago the Morse ranch was leased to a Mr. Berry, who engaged Beeson and Blight in San Francisco to work on the ranch.

Berry and his son went down to Sunol Wednesday and the two farm hands followed yesterday.

Berry had failed to provide a cook, and when the men reached the ranch, Beeson volunteered his services to cook the noon-day meal.

In the meantime Berry and his son went to Sunol to lay in another supply of food.

In cooking the meal yesterday Beeson found a baking powder can which he supposed contained soda.

He put three heaping spoonsful of the contents into the dough for a batch of biscuits.

When too late it was learned that the can had contained arsenic.

Soon after the meal had been finished both men were taken with violent cramps and were found in that condition by Berry when he returned at 1 o'clock.

Emetics were given the men and Dr. T. W. Webster was summoned from Sunol.

He arrived at 3 o'clock and made an heroic attempt to save the men, but was unsuccessful, and at 5:30 o'clock P. M. Beeson passed away. Blight followed him a few hours later.

Beeson was 42 years of age, and Blight was 45 years. The bodies were taken to Livermore, where Coroner Baldwin will hold an inquest today.

KEEFER'S HAT FOUND.

Evidence That the Mining Man Met With Foul Play.

The Theory of His Oakland Dupes Not Borne Out by Facts.

Facts have come to light that have made it almost certain that Windsor A. Keefer, the mining man, has met with foul play.

Keefer was well known in this city, having had dealings with Mrs. Gunther and other women, who claim that Keefer induced them to make investments by which he alone profited.

Yesterday a dispatch was received from Angels Camp stating that a hat, believed to be Keefer's, had been found near the place where the missing man was last seen. The hat has several buckshot holes in it and was found in a heap of debris by W. S. Longstreth.

Two weeks ago a searching party consisting of James Sheehan, C. Davis and Longstreth left San Francisco to make a thorough search of Angels Camp. Davis and Sheehan returned yesterday and soon after their arrival they received a dispatch which read: "Found hat in debris, five buckshot holes in it."

The party worked on the theory that Keefer has been murdered and that his dead body is now lying in the debris of the Jupiter mine.

Mrs. Gunther, who lives at 1319 Eleventh avenue, stated some weeks ago that she did not believe Keefer was murdered, as there were many circumstances that would make it desirable for him to keep out of sight. Her story was voiced by several other women in this city, who had taken Keefer's advice in stock speculating, but it would now seem that these reasons are not the cause of his strange disappearance.

TO SAIL AT LAST.

The Commission Men's Steamer Will Land at Adam's Wharf

The steamer Harding, which has been chartered by the commission men to run between this city and Sacramento river ports, will leave Portland, Oregon, next Monday.

The steamer was to have left some weeks ago, but owing to some necessary changes to comply with the law, her sailing was delayed. The voyage will occupy about a week and then the regular service will begin.

It has been decided that the landing place shall be at Adams' wharf, where appropriate sheds and offices will be built.

Market Quotations.

Corrected daily by Hill & Egan, grain and commission brokers. May 28, 1897.

CHICAGO MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July Wheat	69½-⅝	69½-⅝	68¼-⅝	68⅞
July Corn	23¾-⅞	23¾-⅞	23½-⅝	23¾
July Pork	8 00	8 05	8 00	8 05

Puts 68½, Calls 69½-⅝, Curb, 69⅛.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sugar	115⅝	116⅝	115⅝	116⅜
Tobacco	70½	70¾	70¾	70⅞
C. B. & Q.	75½	76	75½	76
Gas	81⅝	82⅞	81⅝	82⅞
Electric	31	31	31	31
Manhattan	84⅝	85¼	84⅝	85¼
Northwest	105¾	106⅞	105¾	106⅞
Rock Island	65½	65¾	65¼	65¾
St. Paul	74¾	75¼	74¾	75¼
Western Union	79¾	79¾	79¼	79¾
Jersey Central	72¾	74⅛	72¼	74⅛

Have you been to Sternberg's, 464 11th?

A SWITCH WAS OPEN.

Wreck of the Atlantic Express While Passing Through Colorado.

SEVERAL SEVERELY SHAKEN.

Mrs. Imogene Brown of Los Angeles Among the Injured.

A BRAKEMAN WAS TO BLAME.

But for the Brave Engineer Many Lives Would Be Lost.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, Col., May 28.—A special to the Times from Glenwood Springs, Col., says: An extra freight going west on the Denver and Rio Grande ran upon Cabeza siding this morning to allow No. 4, Passenger, Atlantic Express, to pass.

The switch was left open.

The first section of the passenger ran into the open switch, derailing the engine, mail and baggage cars and one passenger coach.

Engineer John West and Fireman Denny Donahay were instantly killed.

The passengers were shaken up.

Some had to be rescued through holes cut in the coach.

Some were bruised and cut, but it is thought none were seriously injured.

All the passengers on the wrecked section were brought to Glenwood on the second section.

Those requiring medical attention are:

Mrs. Imogene Brown of Los Angeles, Cal.; head cut, badly shocked.

Miss Porter of Maine; arm crushed, severe nervous shock.

Mrs. S. A. Ayers of Minneapolis; limb crushed, body bruised.

Six year old son of Mrs. Neiker of Lincoln, Neb.; gash in side of head.

Mrs. Sarah B. Barrows, missionary from Moulmein, India; severe injury to spine and nervous prostration.

The blame for the accident seems to rest with the brakeman of the freight, who left the switch open.

Engineer West, seeing the open switch, blew his whistle, reversed the engine and stuck to his post.

But for his prompt action, many more would have been numbered among the dead.

The accident occurred at a dangerous point on the bank of the Grand river, where a little more momentum would have precipitated the entire train into the water.

"IN THE ARMS OF JESUS."

Impressive Funeral of the Little Daughter of Judge Wood.

Sympathising Friends Tender Their Condolence in Words and Flowers.

The funeral of the little daughter of Judge and Mrs. Fred V. Wood, Mildred Verna, was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence on Thirtieth street.

Around the little white casket in the darkened parlor, the mourners gathered for a last look at the sweet, childish face.

From the back parlor came the soft, soothing strains of song, "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," and then Rev. Dr. Chapman read a passage from the second book of Samuel, and spoke with pathos in word and manner of the young life that had passed away.

The quartette, composed of Harry Melvin, John Sands and the Misses Sutherland, then sang "We Shall Meet Bye and Bye," and "Beyond the Weeping and the Smiling."

Many floral tributes had been sent in by sympathizing friends.

At the head of the casket was a beautiful pillow of white sweet peas and lilies, with the inscription "Golden Locks."

Mrs. J. E. Richardson sent a bouquet of sweet peas, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holmes a wreath of the same flowers, the Misses Sutherland a bunch of roses, B. L. Curtis white sweet peas, Fred S. Stratton white sweet peas, Miss Anna F. Brown pinks, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Randolph a wreath of sweet peas and roses. Four little friends of the dead child, Louise, Helen, Emma and Lou, sent white roses and sweet peas.

The pall bearers were C. S. Sutherland, N. S. Douglass, Ira V. Copeland and H. S. McFarlin.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. H. McFarlin, Mrs. Sands, Mrs. A. Shipley, Mrs. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clarence, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Ivory, Miss Glass, Miss Harland, Miss Annie F. Brown, Mrs. Teucher, J. L. Bromley, Mr. and Mrs. Mosca, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. Lennard.

HOMES OF THEIR OWN.

Two teachers of the Cole School, Miss Nellie A. Wyckhoff and Mrs. J. N. Brower, have sent in their resignations to the Board of Education. Mrs. Brower has been teaching for a great many years and wishes to retire. She is not entitled to a pension.

Mrs. Wyckoff has an entirely different purpose in resigning. She is soon to be married. Two teachers from the Tompkins school an done from the Franklin school are also expected to give up their positions as school marms and assume the responsibilities of wives within the next few months.

A Unitarian Picnic.

The Unitarian Parish and Sunday School hold a picnic tomorrow at Leona Heights. Electric cars leave the Jefferson street side of the High School at 9 A. M., and every half hour thereafter, connecting with the train at the Alameda Tidal Canal.

A Legal Holiday.

The banks in Oakland and San Francisco will be closed Monday.

SENATORS SUSPECTED

Intimation That They Are Interested in Sugar Stock.

AN INVESTIGATION SOUGHT.

Certain Members Deny the Charge With Great Warmth.

SEARLES' FATE IN ABEYANCE.

The Court Adjourns the Matter Until Tuesday Next.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Senator Tillman introduced a resolution for the appointment of a special committee of five Senators to inquire into the reports of speculation in sugar stocks by Senators, and as to advance information by New York speculators as to the sugar schedule in the tariff bill; also to continue the investigation made in 1894.

The resolution recites that one man is serving a sentence in jail and another was yesterday acquitted on a technicality and provides for conducting the investigation so that all questions shall be pertinent.

Senator Frye, in the chair, promptly referred the resolution to the Committee on Contingent Expenses.

Tillman was allowed to speak on the subject by unanimous consent.

He said that the Democratic members of the Finance Committee were under a cloud on account of the sugar schedule of the tariff bill of 1894. The Republican members were now under suspicion. One party was as deep in the mud as the other was in the mire.

Petters, Democrat, of Alabama, demanded that Tillman specify his charges, and stated that the whole Senate should not be subject to his sweeping assertions.

Tillman said that the present tariff bill was made in the rooms of the Arlington Hotel with close connection by telephone and telegraph with the sugar trust magnates.

Tillman had numerous extracts read from a paper showing that the sugar trust had secured the schedules asked for in the new bill, also an extract from a paper making the charge that Senator Smith of New Jersey had been speculating in sugar.

Tillman closed with the declaration that the Senate should either prove the correspondents liars or prove the Senators corrupt, and then turn them out.

Aldrich replied to Tillman. He denied that any person connected with the sugar trust had anything to do with making the sugar schedule. No person except Republican members of the committee knew anything about the sugar schedule except Senator Jones, to whom it was shown prior to being reported. He wanted to say for himself and for the other members of the committee that he had not bought or sold a share of sugar stock. At the conclusion of Aldrich's remarks the tariff bill was taken up.

SEARLES ON TRIAL.

The Sugar Trust Secretary Faces a Court and Jury.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The trial of John E. Searles, secretary of the American Sugar Refining Company, followed that of President Havemeyer in Judge Bradley's Court today.

The indictment was very similar to one found against Havemeyer, except that the questions asked of Searles were somewhat different.

The same lawyers who appeared for Havemeyer had charge of Searle's defense.

Members of the Senate investigation committee and other distinguished persons were present.

District Attorney Davis asked that in the event of the trial not being concluded today, though he saw no reason why it should not be concluded, it be adjourned until Tuesday, owing to an important engagement of counsel for the defense.

Judge Bradley agreed.

None of the first twelve talesmen were challenged, but one was excused.

The deference of the defendant's counsel to the composition of the jury seemed to indicate confidence that the case would eventually be taken out of the hands of the jury as that of Havemeyer was.

At 11:40 o'clock A. M. the government rested its case.

The defense moved that the jury be instructed to bring in a verdict of acquittal on three grounds.

Opinion is unanimous about the court that Judge Bradley will take the case from the jury and order an acquittal.

DR. FEARN INSOLVENT.

The Result of a Legacy of Bills Left by a Runaway Wife.

John R. Fearn, the young doctor of that name is insolvent. He filed his petition to this effect today. He owes $985.90 and has $95 worth of personal property, as well as $75 worth, exempt from execution. His creditors are: G. H. Kriechbaum, $280; Mrs. Mary Dimmick, $35; Taft and Pennoger, $85.90; Sarah J. Fearn, $575 and John Hanly, $10.

All of these bills the petitioner declares were contracted by his wife, Lillian Dimmick Fearn, after she had deserted him and gone to reside with Dr. Kriechbaum, an uncle.

The couple have been divorced.

Takes a Time Off.

Police Captain Wilson and family will leave for San Miguel tomorrow morning. The Captain will return in ten days, but his family will remain in the South some days longer.

J. P. AMES' ANSWER.

He Denies All the Charges of His Sister, Mrs. Harris.

A STORY ABOUT BONDS.

How They Came Into the Possession of the Defendant.

A GIFT OF THE PLAINTIFF.

Complex Relations Which Will Require Time to Unravel.

Josiah P. Ames has filed an answer to the suit brought by his sister, Ann Harris, for an accounting of property claimed by the plaintiff to have been held in trust for her by the defendant.

The answer denies that the plaintiff was in failing health during the times mentioned in the complaint, but instead it is averred she was in full possession of her faculties and was an able business woman.

The charges that Mrs. Harris was under the influence and control of her brother at the time set forth, are also vigorously denied, while the assertion is made that the defendant never has acted as the agent for his sister at any time.

It is admitted that he did partially act as a special agent for her, but only with her consent, direction and approval.

Referring to the bonds, which the complaint declares Mrs. Harris is the owner of, though they are being held by Ames, the answer specifically denies the statement. The bonds in dispute are twenty-three interest-bearing ones of the denomination of $1,000 each in the Cincinnati, Richmond & Fort Wayne Railroad Company and twenty interest-bearing bonds of like denomination in the Ohio and West Virginia Railroad Company.

Denials are made with respect to the allegation that Ames requested his sister to loan him the bonds so that he might temporarily pledge them as collateral security for some loans he desired to negotiate and then the answer positively denies that on March 1, 1891, or at any time, the defendant fraudulently and without right sold the bonds, but it is admitted Ames did sell the bonds before March 1st, for the sum of $48,500. This is claimed to have been done with the full knowledge of the plaintiff.

The answer continuing, denies the statement that Ames converted the proceeds of the sale or the interest due to his own use, fraudulently.

In reference to a written agreement between the two which forms a portion of the complaint, the defendant denies it was made at the demand of the plaintiff, who alleges she did not know the bonds had been sold at the time. The complaint declares this agreement was signed solely to deceive the plaintiff as to the disposition of the bonds, but the charge is refuted and it is alleged Mrs. Harris, at the time well knew the bonds had been sold as well as the price paid for them.

THE AGREEMENT DECIDED ON.

The answer then goes on to state the circumstances the agreement was entered into. It says:

"In the latter part of the year 1894, the plaintiff became very much worried over the matter of inheritance tax and the expenses of administration of estates, of which she frequently read in the newspapers, and she finally determined, in part at least, to settle her affairs so as to avoid such expenses. One day she told defendant she had deeded to her brother, John Ames, all her houses and lots in Oakland, except two, which she named, reserving to herself the rents and income therefrom during her life and added:

"'I want to give you the bonds you hold, and the $22,350 due me from the firm, which I think is about the same, but not quite as much, as I have given him.'

"The defendant thereupon suggested that in January we settle up everything, to which she replied: 'Yes, let us settle up everything.'

"Owing to the press of other business, the annual settlement of and for the business of 1894, between plaintiff and defendant was not made until in the month of February, but it was then and all matters of business of every nature and kind, between the plaintiff and defendant up to the 31st of December, 1894, were carefully examined and fully settled between the parties to the entire satisfaction of the plaintiff. Thereupon, on the 26th day of February, 1895, in accordance with plaintiff's own suggestion and desire, the two agreements, bearing date on that day were mutually executed by both said parties, for the accomplishment of the purposes named in the agreements, viz: to give defendant for his own use and benefit, the said bonds and the proceeds thereof and the claim against the defendant's firm for the sum of $22,350, securing to plaintiff, for her use and benefit during her life, the amount of interest which the said bonds and the said indebtedness bore, and the plaintiff then voluntarily endorsed and delivered to defendant the promissory notes for his said firm and the same were thereupon, in accordance with the terms of the second agreement, returned to her, to be held by her as collateral security for the payment of the interest which defendant had agreed to pay in."

MATTER OF CONSIDERATION.

The answer then denies that the agreements made without consideration and it is shown that monthly payments of $381.20 were made in cash up to June, 1896, when it was agreed that the interest should be paid semi-annually.

On September 30, 1896, a final settlement of all business matters between the two, is declared to have been made, when everything in the agreements was declared to be the sole property of Ames, an acknowledgement for which was signed by the plaintiff.

Ames asserts his transactions with the bonds were always open for inspection and that the moneys loaned his firm were fully secured by five promissory notes given in the sum of $4,470 each.

He claims his sister gave him the property at her own instance by a deed of gift dated February 26, 1895, subject only to the payment of $3,010 annually during her life. Later this last stipulation was withdrawn.

As the bonds have been sold at the suggestion of the plaintiff, Ames asserts she has no recourse for their recovery under the code.

The answer contains copies of letters from Mrs. Harris to Ames, which were given after the action to recover the property had been commenced, in which she says she is satisfied her brother has been done a wrong and also giving instructions to her attorneys to dismiss the suit at once.

On the 1st of February, 1897, the attorneys for Mrs. Harris acted according to her instructions and it is claimed the suit was dismissed and so Ames declares this action was final.

However, the matter is still pending.

HE GOES TO THE WALL.

Lainer, the Photographer of San Francisco Is Insolvent.

Charles Lainer, the San Francisco photographer, has declared himself an insolvent. As he lives in this county, he consequently filed his petition with County Clerk Jordan.

It shows that he owes $16,426, while he has $12,150 worth of property, mortgaged for $6,225, leaving a residue of $5,925. There is $5,450 worth of property exempt from execution.

The principal creditors are: J. D. Walsen, Alameda, $2,500; Joseph Dieves, $1,000; Oscar Foss, San Francisco, $1,500; Crocker-Woolworth Bank, $500; Richard Lainer, San Francisco, $500; Max Gumpel, Oakland, $2,000; Claus Spreckels, $225; Golden Rule Loan Association, $2,600; Bank of Alameda, $3,400; J. P. Donovan, $5,500; Hirsch & Kaiser, $43.32; J. J. Crooks, $110; Sanborn, Vail & Co., $146.69; Sloane & Co., $90.50; H. J. Shellcock, $124.56; L. Franklin, $28.44; C. Schmitt, $75.77; Richard Finking, $75; Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Co., $24. There are many more smaller amounts.

His assets consist of a homestead valued at $5,000 and other real estate worth $6,500, with $650 worth of personal property.

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DIED.

YAGER—In this city, May 28, 1897, Pauline, beloved mother of Geo. L. Yager, a native of Germany, aged 72 years, 6 months and 12 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral SUNDAY, at 8:30 o'clock, from her late residence, 1011 Seventh street, thence to the Church of the Immaculate Conception, where a requiem high mass will be celebrated for the repose of her soul, commencing at 9 o'clock A. M. Interment, St. Mary's Cemetery.

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TO EXCHANGE for Oakland or San Francisco property, or for irrigation bonds, 1700 acres of first class pasture and farming land, unincumbered; several hundred acres of this land can be cultivated, and the soil very rich; a growth of large white oak timber on the land; would make an excellent hog or stock ranch; located about twenty miles from the town of Santa Maria, Santa Barbara County, California. Address W. G. Taylor, P. O. Box 475, Oakland.

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$7,000—Fine bargain; two story residence of nine rooms, on Webster street bet. Fourteenth and Durant; lot 74x150; land alone worth the price. Owner now in New York City. Has instructed us to make an offer. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

$3,800—$800 cash, $30 per month; modern cottage, five rooms and bath; in first class order; on Tenth near Adeline; being sold for the bank; send for photograph. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

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$2,500—New colonial residence, nine rooms and bath, good barn, lot 40x168, situated on beautiful elevated location near Twenty-third avenue, commanding landscape and marine view; house one year old, being sold for the bank; only $250 cash, $25 per month; exceptional opportunity; street work complete; one-half block of electric cars. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

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$3,500—For exchange, beautiful place at Sunol, 12 acres, one-half mile of depot, cottage 5 rooms windmill, tank, etc., 1½ acres in table grapes, 1½ acres apricots, about 20 cherry trees, stable, etc., facing on creek over 300 feet. Enquire Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

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$4,000—In Pasadena, large building lot 85x275, all in orange trees, very best portion of the city, surrounded by elegant homes. Above figure is less than cost. Will exchange for good Oakland property. Lot is unincumbered. William J. Dingee, 460-462 Eighth st., Oakland.

$450—In Los Angeles, good building lot to trade for lot in Oakland. William J. Dingee, 460-462 Eighth st., Oakland.

$1,700—San Francisco, fine building lot 50x100 feet, unincumbered, on California st., to exchange for lot in Berkeley. William J. Dingee, 460-462 Eighth st, Oakland.

$2,000—Alameda, good lot 60x140; clear; fine location, to exchange for house in Oakland, will assume mortgage. William J. Dingee, 460-462 Eighth st., Oakland.

$3,000—East Oakland, new residence well located, 3 rooms and bath, modern improvements, plate glass windows, etc Will exchange one-half for nice lot in Fruitvale and take mortgage for difference at low rate of interest. William J. Dingee, 460-462 Eighth st., Oakland.

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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

FAMILY HORSE WANTED—Sound, a free driver, needing no whip, though gentle. Address "Roadster," box 1, this office.

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The third concert of the season by the Congregational orchestra drew a large house last evening at the church on Twelfth and Clay streets, though there was room for more than attended.

From a financial as well as an artistic standpoint the affair was a decided success. Denis O'Sullivan, of course, was the star attraction, and before his hearers would submit to his departure he was compelled to favor them with nine songs.

O'Sullivan has a fine voice, which was shown to advantage in his first two numbers. The other selections he gave were Irish ballads and while they were heartily appreciated, they did not give him a great opportunity to display the range or compass of his fine baritone.

Each of the little ballads made a hit, and twice was O'Sullivan obliged to reappear. He did so graciously and won hearty applause for his encore numbers.

The Congregational orchestra again proved its popularity and cleverness. William McCoy, the leader, has certainly trained the organization so that the members play with remarkable precision and ensemble for amateurs.

The first selection, an overture, "Pique Dame," was well executed. It gave the various instruments ample opportunity for good work, and the players made the most of it.

O'Sullivan followed with two songs, Beethoven's "La Partenza" and "Fischio, fischio," from Mefistofele. The reception which was given the singer was a flattering one, and at the conclusion of his numbers he received more than a generous outburst of applause

Then the orchestra played Symphony VI, G major in three parts. The adagio molto was possibly the best, though the andante was good, barring a slight deficiency in ensemble. The allegro was the finale and it was well executed.

Part two of the programme opened with selections from "Les Huguenots," by the orchestra. This was one of the best numbers given. If any criticism was to be made, it would be in the nature of a reference to a super-abundance of horn over the violins Otherwise, the number was first class in all respects.

Charles Parcells scored a hit with his violin solos He was only down for one piece, "Souvenir de Moscow," but so acceptably did he play this that a hearty encore followed and the response was fully appreciated. Parcells has improved considerably since his last public appearance, though he has always been a favorite.

"Serenata Neapolitana" by the strings, flute, oboe and bassoon, next claimed attention, and then Denis O'Sullivan sang three Irish ballads in succession. They were "The Young May Moon," "When He Who Adores Thee," and "The Ould Plaid Shawl." The two first ones were very acceptable, but the last struck a popular chord and the audience demanded more. Another and another selection followed, each being received with the same enthusiasm and then the singer retired, though even yet the audience wanted to hear more. Many were disappointed in not hearing O'Sullivan in the "Irish Folk Song," which has become so popular of late Though it is one of the best in his repertoire, it was not on the programme last night.

It is not so much O'Sullivan's voice that makes his ballads charming, but it is more in the execution, the phrasing and the shading. He could please with the ballads if he had no voice at all.

A concert waltz, "Seid Umschlungen, Millionen," by the orchestra concluded the programme. This is one of Strauss' late productions, and it had never been heard in California before. The piece flavors of Strauss all through it, very much on the same order as his other waltzes, though it was striking in some respects The orchestra did good work and gave a very creditable interpretation of the piece.

In all this, the third concert was an exceptionally good one, and while the leader and the orchestra receive the entitled praise, it is only right to give W. A. Fine, the successful manager, a share. To his executive ability and attention to the business affairs, much of the success is due, while his services as a member of the orchestra added materially to its strength

The members of the orchestra who assisted last night were.

Violin—Mrs. Charlotte Gruenhagen-Gwynn, Miss Eda Blankart, Miss Gertrude Hibbard, Miss Mary Donaldson, Miss Ida Fox, Miss Susan De Fremery, Miss Jeane L. Doane, Miss Gertrude Lougee, Miss Mabel Walker, Miss Zulie Hughes, Charles E Parcells, Walter H. Leimert, Llewellyn Hughes Arthur Cowan, Layton Hooper, Roland L. Oliver, Jos H Stalder, Jr., Carl Creighton, Fred Gowing, William MacDonald.

Viola—Miss May Barrington, Eugene Colby, C. A. Gwynn.

'Cello—Miss Annie Barrington, Dr. Arthur Prentice.

Bass—A S. Cantin, Alex. Berwick, John Cruft.

Flute—Dr. Henry M. Fine, Edwin L. Oliver, Edw. O Allen

Oboe—George C Cushing, William L. Mason, D. E. Newell, Jr.

Clarionet—Edward Leach, Howard Baxter.

Bassoon—Gustav A. Hueter, William A. Fine.

Trumpets—Miss Lulu D. Wood, C. W. Crabtree, Ernest F. Webb.

Horn—George M Flint, Chester A. Danly, W. H Johnson

Trombone—Miss Norma Reynolds, C. L Beretta, R. H. Jordan.

Tympani—B F Boyden.

Drums—F A Seymore.

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DEEDS

THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1897.

Daniel Sheerin exr Est Julia Cotter to Daniel Brantbaver, N Brown or 34th st 276.8 E San Pablo av E 52 N 140.6 W 52 S 140 2½ to beg being lot 10 and ptn lot 11 Cotter tract, $1,500.

Adolph Meese to Freda Meese, E Cypress 131 4¼ S W-10th S 33.7½E 169.9, gift.

Emily S Pardee to George C Pardee, all int in following. 15 acres bded N by lands Pacific Impt Co and lands of Mrs H C Carlton, E by San Pablo av, S by Grayson tract and W by Bay of S F; also NE Castro and Eleventh sts fronting 150 on both 11th and 12 sts by 200 on Castro st, also W Telegraph av 250 S 16th S 75 W 82.27 N 75 E 100 to beg; also certain parcel of land described in deed made by Jos Macdonough to E H Pardee dated Dec 10, '96, recorded in 320 d 372 and described as follows, lot 10 City Hall tract and lot 9 on Map of ptn lot E City Hall tract; also certain lot of land on San Pablo av fronting 32 by a depth of 100 as recorded, QCD, $10.

Elizabeth Hofneider to Thos Moran, W Milvia st 65.70 S Cedar st 5.50xW 125 being lot 2 blk A, Eureka Rd subj to 2 mtges, $100.

V D Moody to H C Blasdel, lots 28, 29 and 30 blk 1, Blasdel tract, Map 2, QCD, $10

H G and Sarah I Blasdel to First National Bank of Okd, Same, $10.

Mary A Becktel wf Frank K to Marie B B Junqua, N Lynde st 330 E Fruitvale av E 50xN 143, $1,200.

Caroline M Runkle to Katie Brady, NW Webster and Henry sts N 50 W 100 S 50 E to beg being lots 47 and 48 blk 29, Map of resub Townsite of Fitchburg fmly Fitchburg Rd lots, $10

Antonio Joseph to Marie Ignacio Furtado, 1 acre beg at a pt in middle of San Leandro Creek on the NE side bridge of W P RR Co, th S along E side of land owned by said R R Co 614 ft to lds of Antonio Joseph, th N 50 11 to middle San Leandro Creek, th W 180 ft to beg, also 6¾ acres beg on SW bdry line town plat of San Leandro at stake 11.13 chs NW from the pt where the NW line Davis st intersects the said SW line thereof, th SW 4.63 chs NW 20.-04 chs to stake on S bank of San Leandro Creek, th continuing the same course about 1 ch to middle San Leandro Creek, the E 14 chs to W cor of said Town Plat, th SE 11.35 chs to beg, excepting 1.82 acres conveyed to W P RR Co, Jan 14, '76, ptn Estudillo of San Leandro Ro, gift

Same to Same, N Ramon st 225 W Alvarado st th NW to center San Leandro Creek th down center of said creek to its intersection with W bdry line of the original town of San Leandro, th SE to its intersection with Ramon st, th E 75 to beg; also 10 acres beg at NE cor 10 acre tract conveyed by Dennis Sullivan to Thomas Ind by deed of Dec 28, '66 th along N bdry line of said 10 acre tract SW 37 ft to its intersection with line of fence on E side C P RR Co's right of way th S along said fence to where it intersects the W line of original Town Plat of Town of San Leandro a distance of 143 th NW 180 to beg, gift.

Arthur H and Minnie E Ferrel to John Foster, W Henry st 150 S Railroad av S 27.2xW 125 being lot 14 blk 496, $10.

John Foster to Jefferson D King, same, $10.

David R Rae to Mary T Rae, SW Monte Vista av 242.48 NW Walsworth av NW 100 SW 121.16 SE 82.3 to a pt on line intersecting at a right angle Bayo Vista av at a pt 195 N W from Walsworth av and distant on said intersecting line 143.07 NE point of said intersection and running, th 143.05 to beg being lot 11 blk B, Linda Vista Terrace gift.

Theodore and Ida Wagner to Thomas H Lynch, NW Spruce and Eunice sts N 120xW 134.6 ptn Tuohy's Addn to Bkly, $450.

Cosmopolitan M B & L Assn to Harry S Anderson E Linden st 50 S 45th st S 100xE 90 being lots 2 and 3 blk 2,104, Alden tract, at Temescal, $10.

Johanna Galley wf Wm to Henry Stein, SE University av and 8th st E 104 S 100 E 26 S 50 W 130 N 150 to beg, $300.

Henry and Marie R Coubrough to Alfred W Pooley, NE Bristol and Hamilton sts E 250xN 135 being ptn Ranges of lots 7 and 8 Hardy tract subj to a mtge for $1,800, $10.

C A Dickman to Bridget M Bassett, lot 31 blk B, Fruitvale Station tract, $10.

Timothy Paige, H B and Laura A Pinney to Sylvania and Rasalie Julbert, NW Olive st 275 NE Elm N W 100xNE 25, lot 31 blk C, Melrose Station tract, $100.

H B and Laura A Pinney to Same, NW Olive st 300 NE Elm st NE 25xNW 100, lot 32 blk C, same, $151.

John Woods to Elizabeth Woods, Lot 3 and SW 35 ft lot 2 blk 1 Clement's Addn to Melrose, gift.

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LOST—Wednesday, May 26th, a small box containing one pair gold sleeve links and two gold collar buttons. A. Steffanoni's name and address on box. Return to Tribune office and receive reward.

LOST—One collection book from the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Co. of California. Please return to room 18 Abrahamson b'ld'g, cor. Thirteenth and Washington, or address P. O. Box 425, Oakland.

STRAYED—To M. L. Gray's place, Broadway and Warren sts., at end of New Broadway, a 3 or 4 year old horse. Owner can have same by paying expenses.

LOST—Saturday, May 22d, pair of gold framed spectacles in chatelaine case. Return to 1108 Broadway and receive liberal reward.

LOST—A purse, on the Alameda electric car, on or near 23d ave., containing $15 in gold, latch key and some silver. Return to this office and receive reward

LOST—Saturday, May 22, 1897, a blue Danish mastiff dog; $2.50 reward. O. Gerhardy, Eighth and Franklin sts., Oakland.

LOST—Purse containing thirty dollars, between Central and Union National Banks, driver saw it picked up; reward given. Address 1183 Twenty-third ave.

LOST—Sorrel gelding, aged 2 years; three white feet, white face, looks rough. Return to T. E. Latta, stall 271, Oakland Race Track.

LOST—White fox terrier, black and tan face and ears; name Dandy, liberal reward and no questions asked. Return to 875 Filbert st., cor. Eighth.

FOUND—Cow; owner may have same by proving property and paying expenses. Call at 617 Magnolia st.

LOST—An overcoat near corner of Cypress and Sixteenth sts. Finder return to 1065 Twelfth and receive reward.

OCULISTS.

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JOURNEYMEN TO TAKE A HAND

A Move Warmly Espoused by Public Spirited Citizens.

The cigar manufacturers held an enthusiastic meeting last evening at the cigar store of A. D. Dennis, at 1058 Broadway.

Much interest was manifested in the proposition to establish one large joint manufactory, with each present manufacturer a share holder in the concern. This proposition, as has been set forth in the Tribune, would furnish employment to between 200 and 300 cigar makers, whereas at present there are not more than twenty cigar makers employed in the city

It was decided that the manufacturers would call upon the cigar makers at their meeting next Tuesday evening to see if the union would not take some action on the subject. If the makers seem to be favorable to the plan and will co-operate in the matter the manufacturers will confer with the liquor dealers. The object is to get all the liquor dealers to handle none but home made cigars

Theodore Gier, president of the Liquor Dealers' Association will call a special meeting of that organization as soon as the manufacturers and cigar makers come to some sort of agreement, and there is every indication that the agitation of home industry will soon be under full headway.

A canvass of all the saloons in town has been made by a committee, composed of Messrs Tibush, Kuerzel and Gloy and they reported that the various saloon keepers were in full sympathy with the home industry movement and would do far as possible, handle only white labor cigars, made in Oakland.

Mr Kuerzel reported that everything was going along nicely and he was sanguine that the day would come when the saloons would sell nothing but home made cigars

Mr. Tibush said that all the trades should enter into the home industry movement for what applied to the manufactory of cigars applied also to the manufacture of everything else made in Oakland. Saloons, he said, depended upon the people for support and if they bought Oakland cigars they would put the money they received back into the channels from which it came

Messrs. Anton and Horstmen also had something to say on the question of white labor and home industry. It was suggested that if the saloons, the dealers and the manufacturers of cigars would co-operate there would be no trouble in inducing the general public to believe the truth—that the cigars manufactured in Oakland would compare favorably with the cigars made in any state in the Union.

The following statement from a circular sent out by the San Francisco cigar manufacturers was unanimously endorsed

"We hold that our manufacturers have the same chance in the tobacco market as any manufacturer in the United States, that our mechanics are as good as any in any part of the United States, that our climate is better adapted for the manufacturing of cigars than any of the United States."

It was decided to hold a big meeting next Thursday evening when reports from the cigar makers and from the liquor dealers will be read. Some definite action will then be taken.

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Oakland—"East Lynne."
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Alcazar—"The Three Hats" and "The First Born."
Tivoli Opera House—"Martha."
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PICNICS AT SHELLMOUND PARK.

May 29—Gathering and games of the Caledonian Club.
May 30—Picnic and summer night festival of the United German Lodges of Red Men.

UNION LABEL

FRIDAY..... MAY 28, 1897.

With so many anti-spitting ordinances the gay expectorator knoweth not what to expect next.

A story published in San Francisco papers yesterday was headed "A Dead Man's Millions." When did man commence to take things out of this world?

Alameda county should be well advertised during the next few weeks. There is the Memorial Day parade, the Fourth of July, Christian Endeavor Day and the centennial celebration at Mission San Jose.

Wealthy men often do more good quietly than they are credited with. It has just been learned that Claus Spreckels has established over one hundred families on land and that they now nearly own it through the profits derived from beet growing.

The Southern California Railway does not believe in submitting to dictation. The oil field men demanded a certain price for fuel, the railroad refused, and the deadlock was broken by the railroad people buying a few oil wells and supplying their own needs.

The Greeks can certainly outrun anything in the world when it comes to running away. A dispatch today from Lamia says: "A fresh panic prevails here. People are fleeing from the city and deserting their children." Even the coyote, the most cowardly of animals, will not desert its young.

Hanford is unhappy because the town has nothing to fight. It has a competing road, an opposition telegraph company, two ice companies cutting prices and a competing telephone line. The Democrat of that place begs of some one to establish a new monopoly down there so as to make things lively.

Chicago cannot hold up its hands in holy horror over the cannibalism in the South Seas. The story of the sausage maker of the Lake City who, it is believed, has disposed of his wife in his own vats is fully on a par with the tales of "roast missionary" that come wafting in from the tropics every now and then.

There is one man at least who is not unemployed. His name is Hacker, and the Fresno Republican says he is trying to prevent a railroad company from crossing his land, is trying to run affairs generally in his neighborhood, is keeping at bay deputy sheriffs, who want to arrest him and who declares that his only safety lies in keeping awake. This last assertion is doubtless true.

Here is another proof of the power of the press. A farmer of Clare County, Michigan, has found that he can increase the egg-laying abilities of his hens by feeding to them old newspapers torn to bits and soaked in sour milk until the whole becomes a pulp. The next experiment of interest will be to see whether they lay more eggs after eating Democratic or Republican newspapers.

The disgusted Popocrats are making bonfires of their recent campaign speeches in which they insisted that the low farm prices in this country were due to the treatment silver had received. The country rejected their proposition for the free and unlimited coinage of silver and, simultaneously with that action, prices of wheat, corn, hogs, cattle, and farm products of all sorts began to rise, and have steadily advanced while silver has steadily gone in the other direction.

A queer condition of affairs exists in Arizona. The last Legislature which prided itself on the absence of lawyers from its numbers, passed a new murder law which proves to be so badly drawn that it is impossible to hang anyone under its provisions. In order, therefore, to get rid of the murderers who are now in the territorial jails it is proposed to organize lynching clubs and systematically hang them by citizen organizations after the verdicts of guilty have been returned in the courts.

The Spanish newspapers either overestimate their own strength or else sadly underestimate ours. Here is a sample extract of an editorial cabled since the Morgan resolution passed the Senate: "Spain has sent 200,000 men to Cuba to settle a domestic difficulty. What would she not do in the event of a foreign war with the nation which for a century has abused our patience by ignoring Spanish honor and chivalry? President McKinley should consider this carefully, and if he is to deal with us as enemies let him take the advice of an enemy and no longer trifle with us."

If Weyler is giving us a sample of "Spanish honor and chivalry" by his butchery of helpless pacificos and his insults to American citizens, Spain has got the wrong idea. We don't intend to ignore that sort of thing and that is what is causing all the trouble.

THE STRIKE AT SAN QUENTIN.

The strike of the convicts at San Quentin proves what has long been known in California—that our prisoners are not punished enough. Outside of being restrained from liberty the inmates of San Quentin have fully as good, if not a better time, than the majority of workingmen and the best proof that they have little fear of the penitentiary is shown by the frequency with which they return to it.

Those who have studied penology and in their investigations have visited other prisons throughout the country say that California treats her criminals far too well as compared with the methods of other States. In addition to being quartered at one of the most delightful retreats in California they are well housed, well fed, have little work and are subjected to such slight punishment that it is almost a farce. The reasons given by the strikers yesterday for refusing to work form the best evidence possible of the fact that they have too much of their own way. They struck because the cooks did not suit them and because they were not allowed to receive turkeys, fruits, cigars, etc., from the outside, and one of the conditions they made for returning to their duties was that they should be allowed to name those to be placed in charge of the kitchen.

This sort of thing is sheer nonsense and the Prison Directors and Warden Hale will receive the thanks of the community if they bring these unruly fellows to time. The bread-and-water diet on which the most active disturbers have been placed will soon bring them to their senses and such provision should be made in the future as will warn them that it will not be good policy to make another outbreak. It is in a way, a pity that the whipping-post has been abolished for the sting of the lash is one of the best means to subdue refractory convicts. Putting a ball-and-chain on them or inflicting the present simple punishments does not affect the hardened criminals at all and as they are dangerous not only on account of what they do themselves but by reason of the discord and trouble they foment among the others it is apparent that extreme measures are necessary as far as they are concerned.

Prison Director Fitzgerald in another column of the Tribune today gives expression to some sensible ideas on the subject. His practical experience with our penitentiaries has convinced him that the present corrective system is woefully inadequate and he advocates the methods pursued in Australia, where the prisoners are graded and only promoted on good behavior. Prison life is always ushered in there by passing the first few months in solitary confinement with a frugal diet and lots of hard work to keep it company. If the prisoner proves refractory he remains in that class until his conduct becomes satisfactory, after which he is promoted to where he gets better food, a more comfortable cell and easier work. Any infraction of the rules is immediately followed by a return to another six months' term in the first grade and with this hanging over their heads it is seldom that any of the prisoners fall by the wayside.

The present trouble at San Quentin must only end one way—in the through subjugation of the prisoners, no matter what means may have to be used to effect it. They should get the lesson and as severely as possible that they are outcasts and felons and that instead of having the privilege of dictating how they shall be treated they are within the power of the law and must abide by its regulations.

The members of the Arizona Legislature must have very tough records and don't like seeing them in print. That is the only conclusion that can be reached after reading the following item in today's Chronicle: "At Phoenix, A. T. the Assembly listened to the first, second, and third reading of a bill introduced by the Speaker, making the publication and editing of newspapers in the Territory a felony and passed it in fifteen minutes."

Asiatics have had a taste of American flour and they like it. They bought a million barrels of our flour last year and will buy a good deal more in the future if the proposed duty on tea is adopted, thus giving an opportunity for reciprocity treaties with that part of the world by which our farm products will get special advantages in those markets.

If the eagle Senator Denison sent to McKinley had the ability of a homing pigeon it could now come back to its native crags in California. McKinley presented it to the public park at Canton but the authorities there have discovered that the laws of Ohio prohibit keeping eagles in captivity so it is to be set free.

President McKinley is said to be figuring on appointing General Harrison as Minister to Spain. In view of the threatened complications with that country the selection of as able a diplomat and as representative an American as the Ex-President would be a good move.

Alameda county can afford to follow the example of Riverside. Fruit growers of the southern county met in convention last Saturday and decided that a fruit exchange is necessary to maintain prices. As they have tried both plans, their advice is at least practical.

A GARDEN FETE.

The social event of the week will be the garden party at the home of Mrs. F. M. Smith tomorrow afternoon for the benefit of the Central Free Kindergarten. The arrangements for the affair are most elaborate. Homeier's band will furnish music during the afternoon. Mrs. Smith will be assisted in receiving by the following ladies: Mrs. P. D. Browne, president of the Kindergarten Board; Mrs. George Wheaton, secretary; Mrs. Eugene Beck, treasurer; Mrs. F. M. Smith, Mrs. A. J. Ralston, Mrs. W. G. Henshaw, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. Josiah Stanford, Mrs. J. H. T. Watkinson, Mrs. Asa Simpson, Mrs. Thomas Crellin, Mrs. W. H. Bailey, Mrs. E. H. Kittredge, Mrs. R. W. Gorrill, Mrs. Gordon Stolp, Miss Carrie Bacon.

The natives of Gibraltar, and also the Moors across the strait have a tradition that somewhere on the rock there exists a cavern whence a subterranean passage leads under the straits to the mountains on the other side. The existence of this passage, they say, is known to the monkeys, who regularly use it in passing from one continent to the other.

OUT IN THE WORLD.

High School Days Have Closed for the Class of '97.

FAREWELL TO VEXING STUDIES.

Prof. Anderson's Address on the Books Worthy of Reading.

HOW TO REACH THE CLASSICS.

A List of the Graduates and How They Received Friends.

The class of June, '97 of the High school passed into history last night with banners flying. Seventy-three young people then received the auspicious-looking rolls which testify to the happy conclusion of the High school course, and entitle them to become "eds" and "co-eds."

The address of the evening was preceded by a piano solo, charmingly rendered by Miss Hattie Hershberg.

Prof. Anderson, head of the English department at Stanford was then introduced.

The speaker opened his remarks with an allusion to the beautiful sunset he had seen in coming from San Francisco to Oakland. "I wished I could put it into words," he said, "but that is the task of the poet. The poet interprets the world for us.

"The greater part of education," he continued, "is gained outside of school. That fineness of the eye and concentration of mind is, may be, the principal part of education. We people of books, should have a due measure of humanity when we come in contact with the great captains of industry."

The speaker went on to show the difference between literature and printed matter.

"We must, in our definition of the term, exclude the greater part of the books written to amuse and please, and all technical works, until finally we arrive at a very small body of books called the classics. And these are what we need for culture.

"Literature is an art. It is the most important, perhaps, of all arts. If art is to have any function on culture it must be through printed books.

"There is a central art in literature, and that art is called poetry. The works of a man like Ruskin may, for my purpose, if you please, be included under poetry. Holmes is often more poetic in his essays—'The Autocrat at the Breakfast Table'—than in his poems—'The One Horse Shay,' for instance.

"Books, to be sure, are not the only means of human knowledge. But books contain the results of the study of man, nature and society. I think that everybody, no matter how busy he or she is, can certainly afford half an hour a day for reading with the aim of finding out the best which has been written."

At the conclusion of the address Miss Winifred Morgan played a violin solo with her usual excellence. Miss Eda Beronio accompanied her. Then came the climax of the evening's events, the presentation of the diplomas by Dr. J. H. Todd, president of the Board of Education.

The class then received its friends in the library and lower hall. Congratulations came in showers, as well for the happy significance of the occasion as the splendid appearance of the young people on the platform.

The graduates are as follows:

Edith Lillian Adams, Edgar William Alexander, Charles Edmund Anderson, Walter Burling Bakewell, Grace Beckman, Eda Beronio, Georgiana May Black, Ethel Beaver Catton, Newell Day Chamberlain, Alfred Joseph Champreux, Henry Chase, Thorington Clark Chase, Alice Worcester Coffin, Stanly Coghill, Helen Elizabeth Cooper, Claire Moore Converse, Frederick Edmond Cooley, Clarence La Vallen Creed, Estelle Duncan, John Jewett Earle, Elizabeth Eby, Ralph Talcott Fisher, Walter Nettleton Frickstad, Leland Gale, Grace Hatherly Gorrill, Lulu Graff, Laurence Lincoln Greene, Nellie Stiles Gross, David McClure Gregory, Melvin Scribner Griffiths, Richard Harvey, Harriet Hersberg, Ruth Marian Higby, Grace Myrtle Hostetter, Jean Howard, Olin Hunter, Selma Johnson, Alexander Simpson Kelly, Wintrop Leicester Keep, Katherine Louisa Kavanagh, Edwin Ralp Leach, Anita Elise Lohse, Jean Louis Lohse, Ethel Genevieve Marston, Fred McMath, Henry de Fountenay Mel, Helen Louise Martin, Winifred June Morgan, Dan Hazen Moulton, Rozelle Nicholson, William Orrick, Ida Pierce, Florence Mabel Preble, Edith Rennie, Edna Francis Reynolds, Grace Robinson, Effie Shull, Elizabeth Mitchell Scupham, George Arthur Sherman, Gertrude Warner Snow, William Stewart, Emma Regina Stoer, Joshua Maxwell Taft, Irene Taylor, Beatrice Vrooman, Lizzie White, Madeline Well, Zena West, Lawrence Holly Westdahl, Tracy Williams, Roy Yates.

ALASKAN ABSENTEEISM.

The Alaska Miner says:

How little the absentee directors and stockholders in our numerous mining companies know of the vexations and complicated problems which have to be solved between the time of purchasing a mine and producing bullion from it. It is such an easy matter to sit in a cosy office and order a new mill, and then wonder why it is not in running order, but it is another thing to move heavy machinery even a comparatively short distance from the beach, for each company has to build its own roads. We never had any assistance from the Government in this respect, and this apathy and want of consideration is responsible for the inactivity of many mining propositions which would otherwise be worked. The amount of money spent annually in building roads to mines in Alaska is something enormous, and represents a large proportion of the capital necessary to put in working order a new mine. Alaska is a mountainous country and the gold bearing ledges follow the coast range and although our largest mines are near tide water, some of them right on it, yet a majority of them are a sufficient distance back to necessitate the building of a road. So densely wooded are the side hills that traveling with a load more than a few feet back from tide water is out of the question. Therefore, one of the first things we have to do in Alaska in starting up a new mine is to build a road, over which to transport the machinery. This creates delay and is the occasion of an expenditure which by right belongs to the general government and not to the individual or corporation. The Government is much to blame in neglecting to provide a country as productive as this is with the means of reaching the different mining districts. Thousands of dollars are spent annually in constructing roads which are a benefit to the community at large, and which are open to general use, but the expense of building and maintaining them falls on a few. We labor under disadvantages in Alaska which could be remedied, and consequently it consumes more money and takes more time to get a new company in permanent working order, but when this result is reached the production is steady and increasing. Such has been our experience. We say to investors, exercise patience, familiarize yourselves with some of our difficulties, give us encouragement, not censure, and in due time the results hoped for will ultimately be attained.

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TWENTY-ONE LEAVE.

The Graduating Class of the American School of Medicine.

Metropolitan Temple was beautifully decorated, and filled to overflowing with the friends of the graduating class of '97 of the California Medical College, Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. A. J. Wells, who also delivered the opening address by H. B. Mehrmann, M. D., explaining that these graduates were fully instructed in the homeopathic and allopathic systems of medicine, enabling them to practice or consult with the graduates of any school. The exercises were enlivened by the singing of the California Quartette and solos by Miss Shipley and Miss Gilligan. The following are the names of those who graduated:

Samuel G. Bransford, M. Blanche Bolton, John Albert Born, Annie Laurie Bond, George Waldo Bryant, Robert Alexander Cranston, Herschel Eugene Currey, M. D., Loftus Harley Francis, Hugo Wilhelm Fuchs, Charles Francis Gladding, James William Hammond, Edwin Ernest Hicks, Thomas Ingles Janes, M. D., Eugene Theodoric Lemleux, Thomas Omar McSwain, Manuel Silveria da Silva, R. Frances Scott, Charles Martin Troppman, Ph. G., Almer Fletcher Veale, Edwin Lee Roy Wallace, Charles Harper Walworth.

The professors and graduates wore mortar boards and gowns.

MEN OF THE HOUR.

In the French Parliament is a deputy, M. Vuilod, who used to maintain himself as the "human cannon" in a Paris circus. He is a Socialist.

Probably the costliest memorial ever erected to commemorate a horse has been ordered by August Belmont. The statue will be of Henry of Navarre and will cost $5,000.

Former Senator Fred Dubois will return to the pursuit of his young manhood—herding cattle. He will begin with 300 head.

The oldest living graduate of West Point is Gen. George S. Greene, who is now past 96. He was a lieutenant in the Mexican war, and, at the age of 64, served in the Civil War. Gen. Green was wounded in the jaw at Lookout Mountain.

Henry Marion Howe of Boston, recently appointed professor of metallurgy in Columbia College, is the son of Julia Ward Howe and a cousin of F. Marion Crawford, the novelist.

It is said that poverty has overtaken Gen. Benjamin Prentiss, the "hero of Shiloh," who was at one time one of the wealthiest men in Illinois. General Prentiss refused to accept any office from President Harrison except the postmastership of Bethany, Mo., a position which he has filled many years.

She Holds the Fort.

"When I was down at Shotville on my last trip," tells the drummer, "excitement was at fever heat. It's a place where a shooting scrape cuts but little figure and funerals have ceased to attract attention except when the deceased has died from natural causes. What would be a sensation in most places is accepted there as a matter of course.

"In this case the disturbing cause was a woman postmaster. She was an innovation such as had not happened within the memory of the oldest inhabitant. I saw her; a grim widow with eyes that look fearlessly about her and a voice indicative of such courage as it is difficult to shake. She would never fit a novel with any credit to the clinging disposition and loveliness of her sex.

"The rough men of this place are chivalrous, but this woman breaks up the routine of their existence. It is no longer in order to shoot through the window to attract the attention of the postmaster. If refused trust for a postage stamp there is no rule that will permit calling her out or disposing of her while the insult is yet warm and rankling. When she snaps out that 'Thar's nawthin' fur ye,' it is not permissible to call her a liar or to tell her how all of her family have been unreliable and shiftless. If she tells you to call again when she's not so busy, it is necessary to get out of earshot before letting out the profanity that is clamoring for utterance.

"In a spirit of local patriotism several men have proposed to marry her and take charge of the office, but she has served notice that no one can get her job or interfere with her official prerogatives. When I was there a secret meeting of the best citizens was held and resolutions were adopted. Either the woman must be called to Washington and given something better or retire on a pension. Failing this the Congressman of the district is to be held personally responsible, and Shotville will see to it that the present administration never has a repeat. Meantime the postmaster holds her head high and considers herself the upper crust of society."—From the Detroit Free Press.

THE EPWORTH LEAGUE.

An Evening at Home at the Chester Street M. E. Church.

A Sketch of the Society From the Inception Till the Present.

The parlors of the Chester street M. E. Church were lovely last evening by reason of beautiful flowers and smiling faces.

The Epworth League gave an "at home" to the membership of the church. The guests were received at the outer door by members of the reception committee and by them passed to others at the library room and thence to the cloak room and thence to the parlors. After singing "Blest Be the Tie" and prayer by the pastor, Miss Hunter, president of the League, announced the following programme: "Calvary," a vocal solo, by Miss Lottie White, which received merited applause.

"Them Dickens Book" was read by Mrs. Kate Johnson, to the delight of all present.

Miss Linnie Scott recited "The W. C. T. U. at Baniker's Saloon" in her pleasant and effective manner.

Robert Robertson sang "My Ain Country" in his inimitable way, then, in answer to a recall, "Yere Ain Fireside," followed by "My Mither's Taws" in response to the second encore.

The guests were then conducted to the south room, which had been fitted up as a banquet room. After refreshments the evening was spent socially.

Such royal welcome and hearty cheer is not often given.

From the sketch of the church's history, read by Dr. F. Clozie, the following is selected:

The first services were held in the tank house, situated on a vacant lot between Pine, Wood, Taylor and Eighth streets, in 1875; Sunday School numbered fifteen, and twenty persons attended the first preaching service, Rev. J. H. Wythe, Jr., was the pastor. Within a year the church edifice was built on Campbell street, near Taylor, costing $2,500. A larger house was erected on the same site in 1877.

This property was sold and the present structure on the corner of Chester and Ninth, erected in 1888. The membership now numbers over 160 persons, the Sunday School numbers 360.

The Epworth League has a membership of 69 and the two departments of the Junior League over 100.

The current expenses for the year are all paid excepting $100, this owing to the absence of the pastor, caused by an accident.

TONIGHT'S CONCERT.

Sweet Sounds to Charm People in the City Hall Park.

The following is the programme which will be rendered by the Second Regiment band in the City Hall park tonight:

March, "Iron King".....St. Clair
Overture, "From Dawn to Twilight" .....Bennett
Concert Waltz, "Auf Wiedersehn" .....Bailey
"Miserere," from "Il Trovatore"..... (Duet for cornet and trombone, Messrs. Lercher and Valerga.)
Patrol, "American" ..... Meacham
March, "Tannhauser" .....Wagner
Selection, "Robin Hood".....De Koven
Song and Dance .....Hall
Minuet .....Bochernin
Overture, "A Gay Old Time",...Beyer (Introducing the latest popular Songs.)

The musical director is D. P. Macdonald.

VARIETIES.

The Oregon salmon canneries employ many Indians.

Lamartine's manuscripts of his poems have been handed over to the Paris National Library by M. Emile Olivier, as the literary executor of Mlle. Valentine de Lamartine.

Yeast—Isn't old Cragin a double dyed villain?

Crimsonbeak—Yes, a regular whited sepulchre.—Yonkers Statesman.

Hartford, Conn., now claims to have not only the best system of electrical supply in the country, but the best and most perfect electric railway in the world.

Hans Delbruck, editor of the Preussische Jahrbuecher, has been appointed to the chair of history in Berlin University held by the late Heinrich von Treitschke.

At a recent meeting of the Methodist Board of the Freedmen's Aid Society, the Rev. C. M. Melden of Brockton, Mass., was elected president of Clark University of Atlanta.

In consequence of the increasing distress and poverty in Spain, the migration has increased enormously within a few months. Most of it, however, is by way of the French and Portuguese harbors.

France has a dialect society, the Societe des Parlers de France, whose president is M. Gaston Paris of the Academie Francaise, which is collecting legends and songs in all parts of France by means of of the phonograph.

The Rev. Robert Radclyffe Dolling of Portsmouth, England, will soon arrive in this country in order to make a preaching tour of three months. He is an extreme ritualist and several English bishops have refused to give him a license to preach.

The Rev. Dr. David S. Schaff of Jacksonville, Ill., who has been called to the chair of ancient history in Lane Theological Seminary, Cincinnati, is known as the father of Rugby football in America. He was the captain of the first Yale football team when it played its match with Columbia in 1872, the first intercollegiate football game in this country.

The clergy of Russia is divided into two classes—the white or village clergy, who must all be married, and the black clergy, or monks, who are vowed to celibacy. The higher dignitaries of the church are invariably chosen from this last class. The great majority of them have no particular duties to perform, and a movement is on foot for utilizing them as assistants to parish priests in villages.

A lad 18 years of age, by the name of Chadwick, living at Crow's Island, Me., is entirely blind in the day time. The case, however, is not as bad as it might be, for the boy, like an owl, can see perfectly well in the night time. The boy's father told a man who visited the island recently that his son could find even as small an article as a pin in a nearly dark room. The boy finds his way unaided about the island, which is small, and can saw wood.

There are three sisters living in Salem, Mass., direct descendants of John Endicott, the first Governor of Massachusetts Bay Colony, whose ages aggregate 273 years. They are Miss Susan Gray, Mrs. Caroline M. Newhall and Mrs. R. G. Abbott. All are natives of Salem, their births having been on the following dates: Mrs. Abbott, December 6, 1803; Mrs. Newhall, September 22, 1805, and Miss Gray, November 23, 1807. Their mother, Mrs. Elizabeth (Endicott) Gray, lived to be 100 years and 27 days old.

English papers generally refer to American bishops as Lord Bishops. Some years ago a man from North Dakota read in a Saturday paper in London that the Lord Bishop of North Dakota would preach the next day in St. Paul's Cathedral. "Thunder and lightning!" he exclaimed, "what is a Lord Bishop of North Dakota?" and he made up his mind to solve the mystery by attending the service. On returning to his hotel at noon he explained to his friends that "the Lord Bishop of North Dakota" was nobody but "long Will Walker, who used to run a church down at Deadwood."—New York Tribune.

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Highland Park, E. O., Residence

North side Hopkins st., half block east of 13th ave.; lot 43x100; two story house 7 rooms and bath; modern; owner non-resident; must sell; mortgage $1,000, balance cash.

Neat Cottage, Oak Street Station

No. 108—4th st. bet. Madison and Oak; lot 25x75; cottage 5 rooms and bath and stable. Terms one-half cash.

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Exercises commemorative of a great and good man, Abraham Lincoln, are being held today, not only in this city but in every village in the county.

The rising generation have had a stirring lesson of Lincoln preached to them today.

War veterans who met Lincoln during the troubled times of conflict have recalled the memories of those times, and have given them as a precious legacy to the younger generation.

The widespread observance of Lincoln Day is due largely to the efforts of the Lincoln Monument League, who have urged that some steps be taken to commemorate the day.

Every school in this city has arranged exercises for today and County Superintendent of Schools Garlick has arranged for the county schools to celebrate.

The exercises planned by Mr. Garlick consist of the singing of patriotic songs, recitations, declamations and selections from Lincoln's speech, essays and addresses.

Oakland pupils participated in the exercises as outlined in yesterday's Tribune. At all of these exercises there was present a member of the Grand Army, thus establishing a link between the present generation and the youth of the country at the time the great man whose memory is recalled did for the Union.

AT THE HIGH SCHOOL.

At 10 o'clock this morning the pupils of the High School filed into the big gymnasium to participate in the observance of Lincoln Day.

A large bust of the hero draped with the national flag, occupied a prominent position on the platform.

Principal McChesney made a few appropriate remarks.

"We are gathered here," he said, "for the observance of a name with which you are all familiar. See if, while you participate in the exercises this morning, you can determine exactly why a whole nation should observe this day. Since it is so, there must be some substantial reason for it."

A very fine paper on "The Rise of Abraham Lincoln" was creditably rendered by Miss Mabel Robinson, which was followed by another paper on "Lincoln as a Statesman," written by Robert Ritchie and read by Miss Edith Evans.

It was well prepared and carefully delivered by the reader.

"Lincoln's Oration at Gettysburg" was given by Howard Atwater with force and feeling.

Music followed, and then "Some of Lincoln's Anecdotes," "Lincoln's Second Inaugural," by George Harding; music, "Abraham Lincoln," a poem, by Annie Hussey, and remarks by Major Scupham.

In his talk, the Major spoke of the time when he (the speaker) was attending the Chicago High school Lincoln's greatness was first discovered, and the way in which he became prominent before the people by his great debates, which really formed the turning point in his career. He described in graphic manner, the exciting scenes at the great Republican convention at the Wigwam in Chicago, in 1860, at the time of Lincoln's nomination.

"America," joined in by all, concluded the exercises.

At the Central School

The exercises at the Central School were divided, the low ninths holding the morning celebration and the high ninths conducted the afternoon exercises.

The morning programme opened with a song by the class under the direction of Miss Brown.

J. C. Lemmon delivered an interesting address on Lincoln, a synopsis of which is as follows:

"President Lincoln was a most remarkable man in many respects, a simple-minded, straightforward, country-bred citizen, a hard student, reading but few books but those of the best grade, becoming in turn an honest, capable merchant, a keen, logical debater and a trusted successful lawyer. He naturally entered politics at an early age, and we find him at once forging to the front in his adopted State of Illionis, from which he was sent to Congress. All the while he was an honest, faithful man in every station, yet owing to his tall form—six feet four inches—without corresponding breadth of trunk and limbs, he was exceedingly awkward, which made him shy, retired and often diffident in the company of others."

After a brief account of Lincoln's early successes and his final rise to the highest executive position in the land, the speaker continued:

"I will not attempt to follow the history of Lincoln further or depict the noble traits of his character, but will try to present an incident of prison life to prove how deeply his words and acts had effected Union soldiers and how they loved him, as expressed by their vote at the Presidential election in Florence prison.

"At the outset let it be borne in mind that in many respects Florence was worse than Andersonville prison, though it was not so large. It was a log pen of unhewn pine trunks thirty feet long set on end and let into the ground six feet, placed close together and pinned to a tie-log near the top on the outside. A deep ditch was excavated outside of this log wall to prevent tunnelling by the prisoners and the earth was thrown up against the logs to form a path for the guards to walk upon just high enough to bring their waists to the top of the wall, enabling them to shoot over. The 'dead line' over which no person might stretch a hand or foot in safety, was marked by a shallow furrow eighteen feet within the pen all around.

As the Presidential election approached November 5, 1864, the rebel officers became intensely excited and many a hot discussion ensued between the prisoners and their keepers. It will be remembered that the timidity and slowness of Gen. McClellan, his pleas for more time and more soldiers, his criticisms of other commanders and implied censure of President Lincoln had won for him the esteem of the old-time Democracy and also the Copperheads developed during the progress of the war, and he was nominated for the Presidency; while the old-time Abolitionists, the regular Republicans and the converted Democrats unanimously demanded the re-election of tried and true Lincoln.

"Of course McClellan was liked by the rebels, and they sounded his praises as the greatest general of the age and an honest man, recognizing the strength and right of the South and its claims to independence, etc. 'If Little Mac. is elected,' they declared, 'peace will soon follow, and right after it the recognition of the Southern Confederacy.'

FUN FOR THE KEEPERS.

"The keepers delighted in taunting us with the evidence, greatly exaggerated by them, no doubt, of dissensions and opposition at the North. They quoted Stanton's heartless neglect of starving prisoners, whom he declared must take the chances of war, including rebel torture in prison, and they maintained that there were more voters in the stockade in favor of McClelain than Lincoln.

"In an evil hour, as it proved for the rebel officers, they proposed that a vote of the prisoners be taken on election day. The offer was eagerly accepted by the eleven Union sergeants in charge of the respective detachments—a thousand in each.

"Sergeant Kemp of Connecticut was selected to notify and prepare the camp for the election. Two sacks of beans—one of black and the other of white beans—were placed under guard near the big gate and a box placed at hand to receive the bean ballots.

"The thousands were formed as well as possibe in two ranks, those able to stand often helping a feeble one to his feet, others hopelessly crippled crawling along on all fours. They were told distinctly that white beans were to be voted for McClellan, black ones for Lincoln, the black abolitionist. Beginning early in the forenoon, the thousands in their order moved slowly out of their section in the enclosure and passed by the open bean bags and to the ballot box at the gate. From the opening of the polls the rebel officers appeared occasionally and harangued the crowd, and they allowed several bounty jumpers to go outside one at a time, get a good square meal then mount the cross from over the gate and address the crowd gathered near. It appears nearly all the prisoners hobbled along in some way to the big gate and selected their beans—not to munch and swallow them out of hand—but to use as a ballot. It was not long before the keepers, frequently inspecting the ballot box, came to the conclusion that McClellan was not keeping up with his opponent, and some of them demanded that the voting should cease, but the sergeants of the thousands claimed in chorus, 'You told us we were mostly McClellanites and you have proposed to prove it. Perhaps the Lincoln haters have not yet voted. In all fairness you ought to let the voting proceed.' So that line of quiet, panting, staggering, firm-featured patriots kept on selecting their bean ballots till all had voted.

"The officers commenced to count, the mass in the ballot box was decidedly dark. Often a handful of beans would have but one white one in it, and the officers soon neglected the black ones and only counted the white. They reported 1,600 or 1,700 McClellan votes in a total of nearly 11,000.

THE FUNERAL.

The speaker gave a most interesting description of Lincoln's funeral. He said: "My last military act in the late war is a resplendent yet tearful remembrance. It was my mournful privilege—accorded to millions in the long procession from Washington to Springfield—to stand beside the bier and drop scalding tears upon the glass-covered face of our martyred Lincoln as he was borne through Columbus, Ohio, on the way to his beloved home in the West. The spacious streets of the city arched with elaborate floral designs, the palatial residences and imposing business blocks literally clothed with sombre crepe, the eager thousands pouring in from surrounding towns, the splendid military and civic preparations, the heavy minute guns booming from the corners of the capitol square, the plaintive dirges performed by 900 German musicians, the gorgeous decorations of the majestic capitol building, the slow moving, weeping procession of 40,000 persons, the richly attired body guard of Knights Templar, the six beautiful milk-white horses, the magnificent catafalque, the brilliant silken canopy, the festooned symbols of mourning, the long, richly trimmed burial case emblazoned on each side by one word, 'Lincoln'—never, no, never, can these be forgotten.

"The paroled Union prisoners, provided with easy carriages, were allowed a near place in the procession to him we loved none the less but all the more because to our faces month after month traitors and copperheads had daily heaped abuses and obloquy upon his revered name. After parading eight or ten miles of the principal streets, the procession approached the capitol and the coffin was placed upon an elevated dais under the wide rotunda of the building and the upper part of the lid removed so as to reveal the dear, rigid familiar face of the slain President to the hasty glance of each person in the vast concourse.

"I shall never forget the details of this supremely impressive scene. Around, rank upon rank, stood the black-helmeted Templars, next within were the dignitaries of the Nation and State. At the foot of the coffin stood a costly vase, an exquisite immortelle, two feet high, its blood-red, transparent leaves and branches bending as if dripping with gore, symbolic of the sanguinary death of the good President.

"At the head sternly erect and martial in every pose stood Gen. Joe Hooker the warm tears steadily coursing down the furrows of his ruddy cheeks, unchecked and unmoved. Midway on each side and just outside the moving lines stood the two noble Senators, Sumner and Sherman, scarcely less pronounced in their grief.

IN STATE.

"Over all in the softened light of the lofty rotunda, sounding along the vast corridors and reverberating from the arched facades,—seemingly the swelling chorus of invisible spirits—floated a soul-thrilling dirge, its pathetic chords remaining a last sweet and holy memory of the passing of a martyred hero—ever to be commemorated by American citizens—Abraham Lincoln.

"I said this pathetic funeral dirge was a last memory of Lincoln. No, there is another that must outlast all others—the memory of that large, rugged, strong face upturned in the long black coffin; and with it comes to mind that prophetic sentence pronounced by Lincoln at a dark moment in the terrible attack on our republic: 'Menaced by the slave power I have been; broken by it I may be, but surrender to it, I never will.'"

After the class sang, "Tramp, Tramp the Boys Are Marching," Judge E. M. Gibson delivered an address in which he gave a most interesting account of Lincoln's campaign prior to his Presidential election. He also spoke of the many endearing personal qualities of the man.

The children gave several quotations from Lincoln's addresses and then the exercises closed with the singing of "America."

AFTERNOON EXERCISES.

The high ninths held their exercises during the afternoon when Judge E. M. Gibson delivered an eloquent address teeming with praises of Abraham Lincoln as a statesman and a patriot as well as a great and good man.

The graduating class then presented to the school an excellent portrait of Abraham Lincoln.

Diplomas of graduation permitting the pupils to receive admittance into the High School were then presented by Principal Fisher to the following:

Grace Frida Tregent, Harry Myers, Thomas Fred Wilson, Irene Gertrude Walker, Edmund J. Blowski, Maude H. Gailhorn, Rudolph Schilling, Susie E. Caig, Lulu Moulton, Ava Mabel Lucas, James Robert Westdahl, Hazel McGraw, Albert Manson Meads, Agnes Margaret Sullivan, Laura May McFarling, Luther K. Rabe, Grace Edwards, Thomas Edw. McGovern, Hazel Osborn, Thomas Benjamin Matteson, Walter Stalder, Edna Amanda Price, Richard Atherton Snell, Ethel Mayon, Olive Ivy McCoon, Agnes M. Grotheer, Jeanette D. Dozier, Lauren S. Fish, Alexander Gilbert, Emil Bendel, Edith May Boyd, John P. Fiebeling, Elizabeth M. Folsom, Alice Edith Graham, S. Pearl Baker, Walter Ball and Lloyd Edgar Ivory.

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The Alameda County Union's Elect New Boards of Officers.

The annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Alameda has come to a close. The closing session held in the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church, was attended by twenty-five delegates representing ten local unions and 234 members.

The officers for the ensuing year are as follows: President, Mrs. R. R. Johnson; vice-president-at-large, Mrs. J. H. Rhodes; first vice-president, president Alameda City Union; second vice-president, president Oakland City Union; recording secretary, Miss Belle Jewell; corresponding secretary, Mrs. E. G. Snow; treasurer, Mrs. L. P. Cutting; auditor, Mrs. Brock.

The following ladies were selected as heads of the various departments:

Evangelistic, Mrs. M. M. McClees; franchise, Miss A. M. Thompson; social purity, Dr. Anna Miller; family culture, Mrs. P. H. Rodgers; finance, Mrs. Cleveland; parliamentary usage, Mrs. S. C. Borland; Ensign and Union Signal, Mrs. Fannie Wood; literature, Mrs. M. Crase; scientific temperance instruction, Miss McPalmer; parlor meetings, Mrs. J. H. Rhodes; press, Mrs. A. E. S. Bangs; Sabbath observance, Mrs. Edwin Fish; law enforcements, Mrs. S. C. Sanford; narcotics, Mrs. Vernon; juvenile work, Mrs. H. E. McMath; prison work, Mrs. A. B. Gove; mercy, Mrs. O. E. Gifford; petitions, Mrs. M. Teeple; purity in literature and art, Mrs. Baker; flower mission, Mrs. L. C. Williams.

Ten thousand tailors struck in New York yesterday, and already there is fear that they will starve. To the credit of the leaders be it said that they tried to prevent this ill-starred movement.—Buffalo Express.

A MOTHER KNOWS.

Some Things People Don't Think Of.

"Just why it is that children at the breakfast table will beg for a little coffee day after day, I am unable to say, except that they have a deeply rooted desire to have what their parents do in the way of food and drink, then I believe they naturally like something hot to sip with a spoon; at any rate, the demand is there and I'm blest if it isn't hard to get over, when one has three or four in the family, but we can't give our young folks coffee to drink; everyone knows its effect on children and it seems almost criminal to set before the innocents something we know will harm them."

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Miss Edith Russell left last evening for Astoria, Oregon, where she will spend the summer months.

Alfred J. Case of this city graduated from the University of the Pacific yesterday and took the degree of Bachelor of Arts.

Mrs. M. J. Laymance returned from a brief visit to San Jose yesterday afternoon.

Miss Lucia Oliver will accompany Miss McMurry to her home in Weaverville this evening, where she will spend the summer. The young ladies are students at Mills College.

A Hensler is in Los Angeles, to which place he was suddenly called by the illness of his father.

Miss Winifred Morgan is going to Palo Alto next week. On her return she will leave for Santa Cruz, where she will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Zucker.

Mrs. W. H. Blas of Santa Cruz came to Oakland yesterday.

Rev. H. Brueck has returned from Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ward are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Herbert in Alameda.

Dr. and Mrs. Bull of Alameda left last night for McCloud river.

Miss Belle Owen has returned from a visit in Alvarado.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Lowrie and Mr. and Mrs. D. Jackson of Alvarado visited Concord last week.

Miss Alice Gay of Kern City is visiting in this city.

Miss K. Liston of Alvarado is visiting in Oakland.

Captain C. B. Fines is the guest of his son, W. F. Fines, in Santa Rosa.

Prof. C. B. Bradley of U. C. is in Chico.

Miss Jennie Bush is visiting her cousin, Miss Marie Farmer, in Santa Rosa.

Prof. W. E. Ritter of the U. C. left for Calistoga yesterday.

Mrs. M. Curtis and Miss Edith Brennan of Berkeley are in Santa Cruz.

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A Reunion of the Alumnae of the Well Known School.

The graduating exercises of St. Joseph's Academy, conducted by the Sisters of St. Joseph in St. Patrick's Parish, West Oakland, took place this afternoon.

The hall was very prettily decorated with bunting and palms.

Festoons of pink and lavender over the platform and palms placed at intervals below made a very appropriate setting for the youthful graduates in their light gowns.

The exercises opened with a chorus by the class, "Wake the Song" by Cimarosa.

THE SALUTATORY.

The salutatory, "What Shall He Glean in the Harvest Time?" was admirably rendered by Miss Josie O'Connell.

"It is in vain that I have tried to penetrate the thick veil of the future," she said.

"I have pictured a wonderful mountain where all earth and heaven may be viewed at a glance. It reaches far into the clouds, the foot-stool of the great Creator who stands upon the golden ridge gazing lovingly down upon four little seeds which he fondly holds in His outstretched hand, seeds freshly culled from the tree of knowledge. Gently and fondly has He watched during these years over these fair little plants and now with tender care He prepares to cast them into the wide field of life, with one gentle sweep. We are these seeds, we, my dear class-mates, with one gentle sweep and we are cast into the broad field, but where?

"Shall it be by the way-side of frivolous society and idle gossip? Or shall it be on the barren soil of a useless life? A life spent outside the pale of God's service and God's love?

"In the meantime, while waiting to take this much dreaded step, let us hope and be brave. And why should we not be brave? Has not the whole tendency of our moral and intellectual training been to the proper direction of those faculties with which the almighty has blessed us?

"The bright days of youth are the seed-time. Every though of your intelligence, every principle you adopt, every act you perform, is a seed whose good or evil fruit will prove the bliss or blame of your life. Learning is valuable only so far, as it serves to enlighten and enlarge the conscience, and the most varied dispensations, if they find us diligent at duty-doing will mature to sweetest fruition in the harvest time of the great sower."

A DRAMA.

"Wisdom and Pleasure," a drama, was excellently presented by eleven pupils of the Institute. The cast was as follows: The Pilgrim, Miss Josie E. O'Connell; Conscience, Miss Gertrude May; Wisdom, Miss Mary Lefevre; Pleasure, Miss Delphine Gleason; Reason, Miss Emily Fletcher; Religion, Miss Mary Murphy; Mirth, Miss Mary Noone; Sport, Miss Kitty Ahren; Folly, Miss Kiele Merrington; Shame, Miss Lizzie Williams; Falsehood, Miss Nellie O'Conor.

The first scene is laid in the Valley of Pleasure, where a chorus of twenty voices sing the song "The Dwellers in the Valley."

THE THOUGHT LIVES.

Miss Evelyn T. Long's essay, "The Thinker Dies; The Thought Lives On," followed.

Miss Long spoke of the lasting influence of the works of such writers as Homer, Plato, Milton, Shakespeare, Dryden, Scott, Walther, Irving, Longfellow and continued:

"Tennyson has wrapped science in a new vesture and united theme to immortal verse as it has seldom been done by English poets before him.

"Poetry has vitality as well as beauty," she said in conclusion. "It brings a practical uplifting to mind and heart in this life. Among the best and noblest of Americans who have spent and some times sacrificed their lives for humanity are our poets. They have lived and sung and many have died, but their words will ever live and echo blessings to many generations."

"Il Contocola" was charmingly rendered by Misses Grace Quinn and Nellie Peters.

UNWRITTEN MUSIC.

Miss Mary Murphy's essay on "Unwritten Music" was well written and was delivered in an excellent manner.

"Do you seek for a song," she asked. "Let us go into the thicket among the oaks, or walk beneath the wayside pines whose towering tops seem to reach far into the clouds.

"In gentle sighings, tell to the heavens the joys and sorrows of man, and beneath whose trunks the grass seems to grow in patches resembling tiny sharp sand trebles. We wander on and we come to a beautiful cluster of foliage.

"One would think this song of the woods was the very voice of the life-giving sunshine. Truly may we say a great forest is one of the grandest and most charming scenes in nature. And here also a balm. This soothing melancholy they drink in the divine presence. They fill up the void left by some charming illusion that has been despised.

"Nature's pleasures are safe and enervating. They form powerful moral educators, preserving us from frivolous and idle gossip. They foster deep religious feeling and thus lead the mind to high and holy thoughts."

The valedictory by Miss Emily B. Fletcher was preceded by a instrumental duet, "Traviata." Miss Fletcher's effort, entitled, "Let Us Be Judged By Our Actions," the class motto, was excellently rendered, showing thoughtfulness and care in its preparation. She said:

"The thought of a daily talk strengthens us to greater deeds.

"Each one of us has, no doubt, a persistent purpose in view. For being gifted with reason and conscience, we are endowed with powers that make us capable of great achievements and of becoming what is noble and edifying. An aimless view of the future movement should not apply to mortal minds, for man is too significant in his creation to live thus. It is better to have a humble aim than none at all. Much depends on what we plan to do, but more on what we do. It is that which shows our true worth, and stamps firmness on the character with which we are blessed. It prompts us to cast an anxious glance into the distance and to take a view at the journey before us."

The address to the graduates by Rev. J. B. McNally concluded the interesting programme of songs and essays.

On Sunday next there will be a reunion of all the graduates of that institution.

The happiest moment in a woman's life is when she feels for the first time the clinging caress of her own baby's fingers. How many thousands of women miss this greatest, womanliest happiness, and live out dreary, babeless, loveless lives, because of ill-health. Every woman should realize the supreme importance of healthy vigor and strength of the organs distinctly feminine. Unless a woman is willing to be that least envied of her sex, a childless woman, she cannot afford to neglect this feature of her health.

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St. Joseph's Academy.

The commencement exercises of St. Joseph's Academy, the preparatory school to St. Mary's College, were held yesterday in Elite Hall.

The house was well filled to listen to a long programme given under the direction of Brother Genebern, the director of the school. The exercises opened with a selection by the St. Mary's College orchestra, and included an address on the "Character of Washington," Clarence Colmer; dialogue, "Counting Chickens Before They're Hatched," M. Powers, M. Soulage, J. Caffey; solo, "When the Little Ones Come Home From School," O. Pray; "The Cup of Custard," Dalton McCarthy; "Troubles of Childhood," Maitland Barnes; dialogue, "Ned's Present," W. Blanco, O. Pray, A. Stocking, J. McCarthy; duet, "Music and Her Sister Song," C. Colmer, J. Kane; "The Little Boy's Speech," L. Degener, J. McDermott; L. Miller; "Our Flag," L. McCarthy, W. Biggy, F. McMahon, R. Bennett, J. Biggy; violin solo, James F. Moran; solo, "America is Ahead of Them All," Francis J. Smith; dialogue, "Don't Be Too Positive," Joseph Vasconi, George Dardano, George Jones, Alexander Young; solo, "Take This Letter to My Mother," Harry Mitchell; "The Spirit of the Union," Joseph I. Asencio; "Bernardo del Carpio," Stanley Wafer; solo and chords, "Sweet Lady of the Sacred Heart," choir.

Music—medley, "Plantation Airs," S. M. C. Orchestra; "Sheridan's Ride," F. J. Smith; dialogue, "Tried for Blowin," C. Colmer, J. Kane, R. Bell, J. Mitchell, M. Golden, F. DeCastro, F. Fitzgerald; vocal solo, "A Boy's Best Friend is His Mother," James F. Moran; "Union and Liberty," William McMenamin; "Destruction of Sennacherib," Alfred Tilford; solo and chorus, "Silver Belles of Memory," choir; violin solo, C. F. Colmer; "Somebody's Mother," Otis Pray; "Farmer Nick's Scarecrow," Albert Stocking; solo, "Ben Bolt," John Kane; dialogue, "The Evil Adviser," P. Fitzgerald, F. Smith, H. Mitchell; solo, "The Sword of Bunker Hill," William McMenamin; "Curfew Shall Not Ring Tonight," F. J. Moran; piano solo, "Charge of the Uhlans," Joseph L. Asensio; dialogue, "Impressment of American Seamen," A. Tilford, W. McMenamin, J. F. Moran, H. Baker; solo and chorus, "Some Day I'll Wander Back Again," choir; music, march, "The Iron King," S. M. C. Orchestra.

St. Mary's Commencement.

The graduating class of St. Mary's College will hold its exercises in Macdonough Theater this evening and it is expected that the place will be crowded. Admission will be by invitation only.

Archbishop Riordan will present diplomas to the following graduates:

Bernard J. Flood, J. W. Solen, J. J. Greeley, J. A. Hughes, Joseph J. Hooson and Thomas Maguire, who will each receive the degree of bachelor of arts. William P. Sullivan, who will be made a bachelor of science. There are also eighteen graduates from the commercial department.

The college band and glee club will render several selections and the following essays will be read: "Decoration Day," E. J. Flood; "National Aspirations," W. J. Solen; "Loyalty to the Constitution," W. A. Hughes; "Materialism of the Present Day," T. Maguire; "International Peace," J. J. Hooson; "The Turk in Europe," J. J. Greeley; "Intolerance," W. P. Sullivan.

The winners of the Archbishop medal is W. P. Sullivan, and the winner of the Jufton medal for ancient classics is B. J. Flood. J. W. Solen will also receive a medal.

A PRACTICAL ADDRESS.

The Rev. Alfred Kummer, D. D., of this city addressed the Pacific Coast Student's Conference at Pacific Grove yesterday. His theme was "Personal Work," and his discourse was practical as well as scholarly. The main points of the lecture were: First, the necessity for work in order that there may be development along any lines; second, that each person do the work assigned him and for which he is fitted; third, that each person has some particular qualification, which he should exercise.

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FAVOR TEMPERANCE.

League of the Cross Cadets Will Inveigh Against Drunkenness.

A grand rally of the League of the Cross of Alameda county will be held in St. Francis de Sales Hall, Twenty-second and Grove streets next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A splendid programme has been arranged for the occasion. An essay contest will be the principal feature, the subject being, "What Drunkenness Costs." The representatives of four parishes will compete, each of the contestants being the best essayist in the branch which he represents. Three prominent educators will act as judges. The essays are limited to one thousand words and consume about ten minutes in the reading. The winner will be presented with a silver medal and, as the representative of Alameda county, will enter the annual contest for the Archbishop Riordan gold medal which takes place in August. The contestants will be: Corporal J. A. Kennedy, Company N, St. Francis de Sales; Thomas F. Gregory, St. Joseph's, Berkeley; Private James McQuaid, Company F, St. Patrick's; Walter Mouts, Sacred Heart, Temescal. Company F, Captain M. J. Hynes and Company N, Captain J. J. Power, will attend in full uniform. No admission fee will be charged. Prominent speakers will deliver addresses. Thomas H. Fallon, chairman of the executive committee will preside.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

The Baptist Union Talks on the Forth Coming Convention.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Baptist Church held a meeting last evening at the residence of Mrs. Briggs at 665 Eleventh street, but no action was taken concerning its withdrawal from the city union.

"That Oakland day was set apart by the general convention committee in San Francisco and it is intended to be a reception to Endeavorers, is well known," said the president. "It has been attempted in every way to get the support of the Endeavorers for this day. This celebration on Oakland day has been so interwoven with the convention itself that it is really a part of the convention. Therefore the Endeavorers have a vital interest in the members who arrange the celebration for Oakland day."

After the business meeting a social was held and a musical programme rendered.

A GOOD CAUSE.

Band of Mercy Boys Arrange a Very Attractive Programme.

An attractive entertainment will be given this evening in the Sunday School rooms of the First Unitarian Church under the auspices of the Oakland Band of Mercy, of which Alfred V. R. Wilkie is president. The youthful society is doing a great deal of humane work and tonight's entertainment is given to meet current expenses. The programme includes numbers by members of the band, Miss Alice Partridge, mezzo soprano; Miss Bertha M. Clark, elocutionist; Reginald Travers, comedian and Alfred Wilkie, tenor. A bright and amusing comedietta "My Uncle's Will," will conclude the entertainment. The admission fee is ten cents.

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ANNEXATION MEETING.

The Piedmont school house will be the scene of a grand annexation rally tonight. E. M. Walsh will act as chairman and speeches will be made by William R. Davis, R. W. Snow and J. W. McClymonds. This is the last of the scheduled meetings.

The London mixed tea 50 cents per pound, blended and sold only by the New York Tea Company, 859 Broadway, between Seventh and Eighth. Telephone black 3062.

Gone Into Dry Dock.

The hull of the schooner Elvenia, which was wrecked off the Humboldt coast about a month ago, has been towed to the Merchants' dry dock to be repaired. Since the wreck the Elvenia has been lying in Oakland creek, where she was towed so that the lumber in her hold could be discharged.

Pork and beans, ham, etc.—Sternberg, 464 11th.

A Small Fire.

A fence fire at the residence of Mrs. M. McKnight at 517 Park avenue caused an alarm to be turned in from box 49 yesterday afternoon. The damage was nominal. The premises were owned by Mrs. S. Vincent.

THE LORIN JERSEY DAIRY.

The Lorin Jersey Dairy is the name of a new dairy company organized by Mr. Manuel Pedroso. Although the dairy is the one formerly owned by Mr. Curtin, whose cows were said to be affected with tuberculosis, Mr. Pedroso wishes it known that his milk is not supplied by the same cows, but is furnished by A. Avila & Co., whose place has been thoroughly examined by Drs. Pierce and Archibald, inspecting veterinarians, and who has been granted a certificate showing that his cattle are absolutely free of tuberculosis or any contagious or infectious disease.

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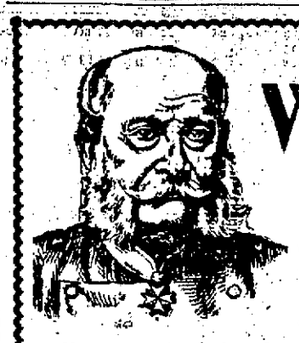

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LEGAL.

PROPOSALS for lighting of streets and public buildings in the city of Oakland for the year ending June 30th, 1898.

Office of the City Clerk of the city of Oakland, May 22nd, 1897.

In accordance with Resolution No. 22,966, adopted May 17, 1897, sealed proposals will be received on or before 8 P. M. of the 7th day of June, 1897, at the City Clerk's office in the City Hall, and shall be endorsed "Proposals for Lighting the Public Streets and Public Buildings of the City of Oakland."

Said proposals must provide for the lighting of public streets by electricity alone, and the public buildings by a combination of gas and electricity.

First. Proposals for lighting the public streets by electricity alone shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles, wires, conductors, lamps and each and every appliance which may be necessary for electric lighting to be furnished and erected by the successful bidder. The wires and conductors to be thoroughly insulated and placed in such locations and in such manner as will prevent them from being tampered with or handled by any unauthorized person or persons, it being distinctly understood that the city shall not be responsible, but must be held blameless against any claim for damages for any injury or accident which may be occasioned by the wires or conductors and against any claim for damages by reason of any infringement of any patents or rights in the use of lamps, machinery or appliances connected with said electric lights.

The said lights to number not less than 462 and not more than 512 of 2,000 candle power, each commercially rated, and to be on masts or cranes of the height of those now in use and at the places where the same are now located, with the distinct understanding that the Council reserves the right to designate and change the location of each and every light and to change the height or character of the mast to be used at any particular location upon payment of the actual cost of labor in making such removals or changes.

Second. Said proposals to contain bids upon a moonlight schedule of lighting and upon an all night schedule as now in force under present contract for lighting the public streets, and upon per hour schedule as follows: Said lamps to be lighted upon the moon schedule during the months of April, May, June, July, August and September, and upon an all night schedule as now in force under contract for lighting the streets, during the months of October, November, December, January, February and March. For the sake of clearness in bidding, the moonlight schedule is understood to be the lighting of all lamps one hour after sunset and one hour before moonset, and the extinguishing of the lamps one hour before sunrise and one hour after moonrise, no lamps to be lighted on the night of, the night after and the night before full moon.

Third. Bidders are to specify separately the price per hour for which they will furnish and light the lamps in accordance with the all night schedule and the per hour schedule as hereinbefore set forth; also to specify the price per night for each lamp when lighted according to the moonlight schedule; also to specify the price per month for each electric arc lamp of 2,000 candle power and the rate per thousand watts by meter measurement for incandescent lamps when furnished to public buildings. The Council reserves the right during the time of the contract to be entered into to order all of the street lamps to be lighted upon dark or cloudy nights through a proper officer to be hereafter designated, and to pay therefor the price per hour for each lamp so lighted, that may be designated by the bidders herein as the price at which the lamps will be lighted according to the all night or hour schedule.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a check, payable to the order of the Mayor and certified by responsible bank for the sum of $5,000.00. Any check accompanying any unaccepted bid shall be returned to the party furnishing the same when his bid is rejected; any check accompanying an accepted bid shall be retained by the City Clerk till the successful bidder shall have entered into a contract as herein provided, and then be returned to said bidder; but if such bidder shall refuse to enter into such contract and file a bond in the sum of $25,000 within five days after being awarded the contract, his check or bond shall be declared forfeited to the city of Oakland, and shall be collected and paid into the General Fund.

The Council to reserve the right to determine which method of lighting shall be adopted, and to reject any or all bids.

Oakland, May 22nd, 1897.

J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

By E. F. HOLLAND, Deputy.

Oakland, May 24th, 1897.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Martha H. Townsend, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Martha H. Townsend, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of Snook & Church, Room No. 3, Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, which said office the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Martha H. Townsend, deceased.

FREDERICK TOWNSEND, Administrator of the estate of Martha H. Townsend, deceased.

Dated Oakland, April 30th, 1897.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys for Administrator.

Notice of Dissolution.

C. G. Field and Wm. A. Knowles have dissolved partnership. C. G. Field will continue business at No. 1427 New Broadway, and will settle all partnership matters there.

C. G. FIELD.
WM. A. KNOWLES.

LEGAL.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance regulating the paving and the digging up or disturbance of streets and public places, for the purpose of laying pipes and conduits and the re-filling of excavations and the repair of street surfaces.

He it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

It shall be unlawful to pave or macadamize any public street or place prior to the construction of a main sewer therein; also all necessary side sewer branches which shall be built to the curb line. Said sewer shall be built in accordance with official plans and specifications, and under the supervision required by law, and a diagram showing the exact location of all side branches shall be kept on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets.

SECTION II.

Upon the passage by the City Council of a Resolution of Intention to improve any public street or place by macadamizing or re-macadamizing the same or by constructing thereon a pavement of any description, it shall immediately become the duty of the Street Superintendent to notify all persons, firms or corporations, known to be exercising the right and practice of laying pipes or conduits of any description in the public streets or places, to lay all main pipes or conduits, also all lateral or service connections needed for present or future use, to the inner curb line of the street, and to repair all existing pipes in any public street or place to be so improved, within twenty (20) days from date of notice; and it shall also be the duty of the Superintendent of Streets to notify all the owners of property upon the line of the street or place to be improved to make all sewer connections needed for present or future use to the inner curb line in front of their property, within thirty (30) days from date of notice.

SECTION III.

After a Resolution of Intention has been passed by the City Council to pave, re-pave, macadamize or re-macadamize any public street or place, all persons, firms and corporations and property owners shall, upon notice from the Superintendent of Streets, lay all main and lateral pipes or conduits needed for present or future use, within the time specified in said notice.

SECTION IV.

After the expiration of the time stated in the notice served by the Street Superintendent, to any person, firm or corporation to lay sewer, gas and water pipes, telephone or electric wire conduits, no permits shall be granted by the Secretary of the Board of Public Works to any of said parties to lay pipes or conduits of any description, between the curb lines of any of the public streets or places which are paved, re-paved, macadamized or re-macadamized subsequent to the passage and approval of this Ordinance, unless said parties shall first deposit with the Secretary of the Board of Public Works the sum of twenty-five cents (25c) per square foot of street surface to be disturbed, which money shall be paid by said Secretary, immediately after its receipt by him, into the City Treasury, and there held as a special fund to be used for the repair of streets disturbed under the provisions of this Ordinance, and all warrants drawn by the City Auditor upon the City Treasury for such work for repairs of streets shall be drawn upon the said fund which is hereby designated as "Street Repair Fund."

A diagram showing the location and extent of the proposed excavation shall be filed with the Secretary of the Board of Public Works, by any person applying for a permit to disturb any street or place within the provisions of this section (4) of this Ordinance.

SECTION V.

All excavations in streets now or hereafter improved with bituminous rock, asphalt, wood blocks or vitrified brick laid on concrete foundation, shall be re-filled with special care with a view to prevent settlement of the back filling, and the excavation shall be covered with a layer of Portland cement concrete at least six inches thick, which shall have a bearing of at least twelve (12) inches on undisturbed ground on each side of the trench. The concrete shall consist of one part good Portland cement, three parts clean, sharp sand and five parts of two inch broken stone, watered, mixed and tamped to the satisfaction of the Street Superintendent or his inspector, and maintained free from disturbance for at least five days, before being covered with the wearing surface of the pavement, which in all cases shall be of the same kind of material, but of best quality and equal in quantity, and laid on the same elevation throughout, as the original pavement existed before disturbed. If required by the Street Superintendent, the wearing surface of the pavement in such case shall be composed of entirely new materials, which shall be laid in accordance with the official specifications for such pavement.

SECTION VI.

All persons, firms or corporations who may make excavations in any public street or place under the provisions of this Ordinance, shall in the case of opening a street having a concrete foundation notify the Superintendent of Streets in writing, at least twenty-four hours before the day in which said persons, firms or corporations are to re-fill said street, whereupon, at the time stated in said notice, the Superintendent of Streets shall provide an inspector to superintend the execution of the work, whose compensation shall not exceed $3.00 per day, which compensation shall be paid in full by the person, firm or corporation doing said work. The said parties so re-filling said excavation shall at the time of the notice to the Street Superintendent deposit with him the sum of $50.00, or such other less sum as the Street Superintendent may require, and upon the satisfactory completion of the work, the said Street Superintendent shall remit to said person, firm or corporation the said sum of money so deposited, less the amount chargeable for the services of said inspector, at the rate of $3.00 per day; and the said Superintendent shall certify the completion of the work to the Secretary of the Board of Public Works.

SECTION VII.

Nothing herein shall be construed as preventing the laying of gas or water pipes between the curb line and property line of any street, provided said pipe shall not exceed 2" internal in diameter, and provided further, that the consent of the property owners, in front of whose premises said pipe is to be laid, shall be first obtained.

SECTION VII.

All Ordinances and parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION IX.

Every person violating any requirement of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding $300.00, and in case said fine be not paid, then by imprisonment at the rate of one day for every $2.00 of the fine so imposed.

SECTION X.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., May 17, 1897.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Flibush, Girard, Heitmann, Hennberry, Rowe, Upton, Wathinson and President Pringle—11.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

By E. F. HOLLAND, Deputy.

Oakland, May 25th, 1897.

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Notice of Special Election.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special election in and for the City of Oakland, and in and for that certain territory, lying and being in the Township of Oakland, hereinafter described and proposed to be annexed, all in the County of Alameda, State of California, to determine whether the boundaries of the City of Oakland shall be altered and new territory annexed and made a part of said city, will be held in said city of Oakland, and in said territory proposed to be annexed, all in the County of Alameda, State of California, on

THURSDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF JUNE,

1897.

Whereas, The Council of the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, did, by a certain Ordinance, No. 1601, passed by said Council on the 11th day of May, 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said City of Oakland, on the 11th day of May, 1897, proposed that there be submitted to the electors of said city and to the electors residing in certain new territory situate in the Township of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and in said ordinance described, which territory was proposed to be annexed to the City of Oakland, the question whether said new territory which is hereinafter described and was proposed to be annexed shall be annexed to and incorporated in and made a part of said city of Oakland, which said ordinance was entitled "An Ordinance providing for a special election to determine whether the boundaries of the City of Oakland shall be altered and new territory annexed and made a part of said City," to which said ordinance reference is hereby expressly made.

And, Whereas an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to incorporated towns and cities, and for the incorporation of such annexed territory, in and as a part of such municipalities and for the districting, government and municipal control of annexed territory," approved March 19th, 1889, provides that the boundaries of any incorporated town or city, whether heretofore or hereafter formed, incorporated, reincorporated, organized or re-organized, may be altered, and new territory annexed thereto, incorporated and included therein, and made a part thereof, upon proceedings being had and taken as in the act provided.

Now, therefore, in conformity with the provisions of the statute hereinbefore cited, and the said ordinance, notice is given that a special election for the purpose of determining the question herein submitted, is hereby called and will be held in the said City of Oakland, and in the said new territory proposed to be annexed thereto (which said territory so proposed to be annexed is in said Ordinance and hereinafter specifically described), on Thursday, the 10th day of June, 1897.

For the purpose of submitting to the electors of said municipal corporation and to the electors residing in said territory by said ordinance so proposed to be annexed to said city and corporation the question whether such territory shall be annexed to and incorporated in and made a part of said city and municipal corporation and for no other purpose. Which said new territory so asked and proposed to be annexed to said City of Oakland is situated in the County of Alameda and State of California, and is bounded and described as follows, to wit:

BOUNDARIES.

All that certain piece or parcel of land and extent of land and territory situate in Oakland township, Alameda county, State of California, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point on the northern boundary line of the City of Oakland 150 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of San Pablo avenue, and measured at a right angle thereto, said beginning point being also the southeast corner of the Town of Emeryville, and running thence in a northerly direction along the easterly boundary line of the Town of Emeryville to the center line of Temescal creek, thence in a westerly direction following the center line of the bed of Temescal creek—being also the boundary line of the Town of Emeryville in said creek—to a point 730 feet distant westerly from the westerly line of San Pablo avenue measured at a right angle thereto, thence along the easterly line of the said Town of Emeryville in a northerly direction, running parallel with and 730 feet distant westerly from said line of San Pablo avenue to the southern boundary line of the Town of Berkeley, thence easterly following the boundary line of the Town of Berkeley to a point on said boundary line of the Town of Berkeley 125 feet distant westerly from the westerly line of College avenue—also known as College way—and measured at a right angle to said line of College avenue, thence in a southerly direction on a line parallel with and 125 feet distant westerly from said line of College avenue a distance of 1600 feet, thence at a right angle to said line of College avenue in an easterly direction to and across said College avenue to a point 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of said College avenue and measured at a right angle thereto, thence in a southerly direction along a line parallel with and 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of College avenue and its extension and measured at a right angle thereto, to a point on the southerly line of Clifton street, as said street is laid down, delineated and so designated on a map entitled Map of Rock Ridge, etc., filed in the office of the Recorder of Alameda County on August 4th, 1879, thence in an easterly direction along said line of Clifton street to the westerly line of McAdam street, as delineated and so designated on aforesaid Map of Rock Ridge, thence in a direct line due south to the line dividing plots Nos. 13 and 15, as said plots are delineated and so designated on a map entitled Map of the Rancho of Vicente and Domingo Peralta, etc., filed in the office of the Recorder of Alameda county on January 21st, 1857, said plot line is the western boundary line of the St. Mary's Cemetery, thence along said plot line in a southwesterly direction to the most western corner of said plot No. 15, thence in a southeasterly direction following the line dividing plots Nos. 14 and 15 as shown on map of aforesaid ranchos (the last named plot line being the southwesterly boundary of the St Mary's and Mountain View Cemeteries) to the westerly line of Piedmont Sanitary District, thence following the boundary line of Piedmont Sanitary District in a southerly and then in a southeasterly direction to its intersection with the said northern boundary line of the City of Oakland, and thence in a westerly direction along the said boundary line of the City of Oakland to the place of beginning.

The said special election shall be held and conducted, votes received and canvassed and returns made and the result determined according to the provisions of the said Act of March 19, 1889, and shall be in conformity as far as may be, with the general laws of this State concerning elections. The said question of the proposed annexation is hereby submitted to be voted upon by ballot at said special election by the qualified electors of said City of Oakland; and of said new territory proposed to be annexed; and the said qualified electors of said City of Oakland, and the said qualified electors residing in said new territory so proposed to be annexed, are hereby invited to vote upon the proposition of said proposed annexation by placing upon their ballots in the manner provided by law the words "for annexation" or "against annexation" as the electors respectively may be in favor of or against such annexation.

The polls for such election shall be opened at sunrise of the morning of said day of election and shall be kept open until 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, when the polls shall be closed.

The voting precincts, the places of election or polling places therein at which the polls in such precincts will be opened on said day of special election in said City and in said territory proposed to be annexed have been and are in said ordinance No. 1601 established, created and designated as follows, and the following named persons have been by said ordinance appointed officers of election to act as such in the respective precincts and polling places preceding their names hereinbelow set forth, respectively and as follows, to-wit:

IN THE CITY OF OAKLAND.

FIRST WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the east by the center line of Wood street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; and on the south and west by the charter line of the City of Oakland.

Location of polling place—No. 1759 Seventh street.

Judges—J. A. Towne and Henry Schmidt.

Inspector—Tobias Feehan.

FIRST WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; on the east by the center line of Campbell street and extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Wood street and its extension southerly to the said charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 1685 Seventh street.

Judges—J. V. Powers and Henry Beales.

Inspector—John Mallett.

FIRST WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; on the east by the the center line of Center street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Campbell street and its extension southerly to said charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 1461 Seventh street.

Judges—P. J. Quinlan and W. C. Fleischauer.

Inspector—J. F. Hanley.

FIRST WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the east by a line described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street with the center line of Peralta street; thence southerly along the center line of Peralta street to the center line of Center street; thence southerly along the center line of Center street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; bounded on the south by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the said charter line of the City of Oakland.

Location of polling place—No. 1237 Peralta street.

Judges—J. C. Bullock and George Janvrin.

Inspector—M. J. O'Dea.

SECOND WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the east by the center line of Adeline street; on the south by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street and its extension westwardly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the charter line of the City of Oakland.

Location of polling place—Northeast corner Thirty-fourth and Peralta streets.

Judges—Daniel Teehan and John Paul Hannigan.

Inspector—G. W. Smith.

SECOND WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the east by the center line of Cemetery creek, being the old charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by a line described as follows: Beginning at a point where the said Cemetery creek is intersected by the center line of Prospect street; thence westerly along the center line of Prospect street and the center line of Caledonia street to the center line of Grove street; thence southerly along the center line of Grove street to the center line of Wallace or Twenty-eighth street; thence westerly along the center line of said Wallace or Twenty-eighth street to the center line of Adeline street; and bounded on the west by the center line of Adeline street.

Location of polling place—Northwest corner Thirty-fourth street and Telegraph avenue.

Judges—F. W. Little and Charles Fawcott.

Inspector—F. L. Cotton.

SECOND WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Wallace or Twenty-eighth street; on the east by the center line of Grove street; on the south by the center line of Charter or Twenty-second (22d) street, and on the west by the center line of Adeline street.

Location or polling place—No. 1229 San Pablo avenue.

Judges—George Taylor and James Sullivan.

Inspector T. W. Stokes.

SECOND WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Caledonia street intersects the center line of Grove street; thence easterly along the center line of Caledonia street and the center line of Prospect street to the center line of Cemetery creek, being the old charter line of the City of Oakland; thence northerly along said Cemetery creek to a point where said Cemetery creek is intersected by the northern boundary line of the City of Oakland; thence easterly along the northern boundary line of the City of Oakland to its intersection with the dividing line between Oakland and Brooklyn townships; thence southerly and westerly along said dividing line to the old charter line of said city; thence westerly along said old charter line to the center of the western arm of Lake Merritt; thence northerly along the center of said arm to the center line of Walnut or Twenty-second street extended easterly; thence westerly to and along the center line of said Walnut or Twenty-second street to the center line of Telegraph avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street; thence westerly to the center line of Grove street; thence northerly along the center line of Grove street to the point of beginning.

Location of polling place—818 Telegraph avenue.

Judges—Ben Marston and N. Collins.

Inspector—B. F. Armstrong.

THIRD WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Third ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street; on the east by the center line of Market street; on the south by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; and on the west by a line described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twelfth (12th) street with the center line of Center street; thence northerly along the center line of Center street to the center line of Peralta street; thence northerly along the center line of Peralta street to the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street.

Location of polling place—N. E. corner Fourteenth and Adeline streets.

Judges—William Gross and H. J. Eaton.

Inspector—B. Maloon.

THIRD WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Third ward of the City of Oakland bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twelfth (12th) street with the center line of Market street; thence northerly along the center line of Market street to the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street; thence easterly along the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street to the center line of Brush street; thence southerly along the center line of Brush street to the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street; thence easterly along the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street to the center line of Jefferson street; thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) street, and thence westerly along the center line of Twelfth (12th) street to the place of beginning.

Location of polling place—Northeast corner of Seventeenth and Market streets.

Judges—J. I. Palmer and C. R. Lewis.

Inspector—E. T. Thurston Sr.

THIRD WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Brush street with the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street; thence easterly along the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street to the center line of Telegraph avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Seventeenth (17th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Seventeenth (17th) street to the center line of Jefferson street; thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street to the center of Brush street, and thence northerly along the center line of Brush street to the place of beginning.

Location of polling place—No. 414 San Pablo avenue.

Judges—William Gall and P. A. Cameron.

Inspector—J. S. Burpee.

FOURTH WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; on the east by the center line of Adeline street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Center street and its extension southerly to said charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 1250 Seventh street.

Judges—G. W. Hoguet and B. Kriemberg.

Inspector—Louis Scheeline.

FOURTH WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street; on the east by the center line of Market street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the said charter line of the City of Oakland; on the west by the center line of Adeline street and its extension southerly to the charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 974 Seventh street.

Judges—D. Danahey and John Muller.

Inspector—James Kelly.

FOURTH WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Adeline street with the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; thence easterly along the center line of Twelfth (12th) street to the center line of Jefferson street; thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Tenth (10th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Tenth (10th) street to the center line of Castro street; thence southerly along the center line of Castro street and its extension to the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence westerly along said charter line to extension southerly of the center line of Market street; thence northerly to and along the center line of Market street to the center line of Tenth (10th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Tenth (10th) street to the center line of Adeline street, and thence northerly along the center line of Adeline street to the place of beginning.

Location of polling place—No. 852 Market street.

Judges—Owen Feeney and James Shanley.

Inspector—M. H. Bernheim.

FOURTH WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street; on the east by the center line of Jefferson street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the charter line, and on the west by the center line of Castro street and its extension southerly to the said charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 573 Seventh street.

Judges—R. Wainwright and George Kirk.

Inspector—Richard Orme.

FIFTH WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fifth ward of the City of Oakland, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Broadway street intersects the center line of Tenth (10th) street; thence northerly along the center line of Broadway street to the center line of Delger or Twentieth street; thence easterly along the center line of Delger or Twentieth street to the old charter line of the City of Oakland in the northwest arm of Lake Merritt; thence northerly along said old charter line to its intersection with the center line of Walnut or Twenty-second street if extended easterly; thence westerly to and along the center line of Walnut or Twenty-second street to the center line of Telegraph avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Seventeenth (17th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Seventeenth (17th) street to the center line of Jefferson street; thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Tenth (10th) street, and thence easterly along the center line of Tenth (10th) street to the place of beginning.

Location of polling place—1159 Washington street.

Judges—R. Balmforth and Arthur Jones.

Inspector—W. B. Jones.

FIFTH WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fifth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Delger or Twentieth street and its extension easterly to the old charter line of the City of Oakland, and by the said old charter line of the City of Oakland, on the east by the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn township; on the south by the center line of Thirteenth (13th) street and its extension easterly to the said township line, and on the west by the center line of Broadway.

Location of polling place—Northwest corner of Webster and Fourteenth streets.

Judges—S. A. Cohen and R. Rosenberg.

Inspector—J. C. Alexander.

FIFTH WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fifth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Thirteenth (13th) street and its extension easterly to the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships; on the east by said line dividing said townships; on the south by the center line of Tenth (10th) street and its extension easterly to said township line, and on the west by the center line of Broadway street.

Location of polling place—Schellhaas' store, Eleventh and Franklin streets.

Judges—James Eddie and V. R. Remmer.

Inspector—M. J. O'Gara.

SIXTH WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street; on the east by the center line of Washington street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the center line of Jefferson street and its extension southerly to said charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 508 Seventh street.

Judges—John Bodell and Frank Barnett.

Inspector—M. K. Houghton.

SIXTH WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Seventh (7th) street; on the east by the center line of Harrison street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Washington street and its extension southerly to said charter line.

Location of polling place—722 Webster street.

Judges—W. H. Rodgers and J. H. Martin.

Inspector—J. J. Lerri.

SIXTH WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street; on the east by the center line of Webster street; on the south by the center line of Seventh (7th) street, and on the west by the center line of Washington street.

Location of polling place—No. 407 Eighth street.

Judges—T. W. Baily and O. Page.

Inspector—James Hackett.

SIXTH WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street and its extension easterly to the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships on the east by said township line, on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by a line described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Webster street intersects the center line of Tenth street, thence southerly along the center line of Webster street to the center line of Seventh (7th) street, thence easterly along the center line of Seventh (7th) street to the center line of Harrison street, and thence southerly along the center line of Harrison street to the charter line of the City of Oakland.

Location of polling place—Pumyea's stable, Eighth and Alice streets.

Judges—Caesar Isaacs and J. W. Bonsack.

Inspector—George Atkinson.

SEVENTH WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Seventh ward in the City of Oakland bounded and described as follows:

Beginning where the center line of Eighth avenue, if extended southerly, would intersect the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence northerly to and along the center line of Eighth avenue to the center line of Twenty-eighth (28th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Twenty-eighth (28th) street to the center line of Matthew avenue; thence northeasterly along the center of Matthew avenue to the center of Hopkins street; thence easterly along the center line of Hopkins street to the center line of Thirteenth avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the center line of East Twenty-eighth street; thence westerly along the center line of East Twenty-eighth street to the center of Eleventh (11th) avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Eleventh (11th) avenue to the center line of East Eighteenth street; thence easterly along the center line of East Eighteenth street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Twelfth (12th) avenue to the center line of East Twelfth street; thence easterly along the center line of East Twelfth street to the center line of Commerce street; thence southerly along the center line of Commerce street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence easterly along said charter line to where the center line of Nineteenth (19th) avenue, if extended southerly, would intersect said charter line; thence northerly to and along the center line of Nineteenth (19th) avenue to the center line of Fourteenth (14th) avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Fourteenth avenue to the southern boundary line of the Lynn homestead; thence easterly along the said line of said Lynn homestead to the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence northerly, easterly and thence northerly following the said charter line to the intersection of Sausal creek with the eastern extension of the northern boundary line of the City of Oakland; thence westerly along said extension of said boundary line to its intersection with the dividing line between Oakland and Brooklyn townships; thence southwesterly along said dividing line to the southwesterly line of land of Hampel; thence southeasterly along said line of land of Hampel to the point of beginning.

Location of polling place—No. 1105 Thirteenth avenue.

Judges—Jeff Gillan and George H. Vose.

Inspector—Paul Wuthe.

SEVENTH WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Seventh ward in the City of Oakland described as follows:

Bounded on the north by the southern boundary of the Lynn homestead; on the east and south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the center line of Nineteenth (19th) avenue and by that portion of Commerce street lying northerly from Nineteenth street.

Location of polling place—No. 1105 Twenty-third avenue.

Judges—W. H. Brown and H. B. Witt.

Inspector—H. S. Knapp.

IN ANNEXED TERRITORY.

The entire territory proposed to be annexed and as above specifically described is established as five election precincts, and the polling places in such precincts are hereby fixed and designated at the following places, to-wit:

GOLDEN GATE PRECINCT.

Which shall consist of all that portion of Oakland township bounded and described as follows: All that territory bounded on the west by the eastern charter line of the Town of Emeryville, on the north by the southern charter line of the Town of Berkeley, on the east by the center line of Adeline street, on the south by Temescal creek.

Location of polling place—Klinkner block, corner of San Pablo avenue and Klinkner avenue.

Judges of election—Peter Norberg and W. B. Firman.

Inspector—J. M. Page.

PERALTA PRECINCT.

Which shall consist of that portion of Oakland township bounded as follows: All that territory bounded on the north by the charter line of the Town of Berkeley, on the east by a line described as follows: Commencing at a point in the charter line of the Town of Berkeley 125 feet distant westerly from the westerly line of College avenue—also known as College way—and measured at a right angle to said line of College avenue, thence in a southerly direction on a line parallel with and 125 feet distant westerly from said line of College avenue a distance of 1600 feet, thence at a right angle to said line of College avenue in an easterly direction to and across said College avenue to a point 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of said College avenue and measured at a right angle thereto, thence in a southerly direction along a line parallel with and 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of College avenue, to its intersection with the center line of Temescal creek, bounded on the south by the center line of Temescal creek, and on the west by the center line of Adeline street.

Location of polling place—Store of M. P. Manning, N. W. corner of Canning street and Harlow avenue.

Judges of election—J. R. McGregor and H. C. Babcock.

Inspector—C. Scoville.

TEMESCAL PRECINCT NO. 1.

Which shall consist of that portion of Oakland township bounded as follows:

All that territory bounded on the north by the center line of Temescal creek, bounded on the east by a line described as follows: Beginning where the center line of Telegraph avenue intersects the charter line of the City of Oakland, running thence northerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Shattuck avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Shattuck avenue to the center line of Temescal creek; bounded on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the charter line of the Town of Emeryville.

Location of polling place—Vacant store, N. s. 45th street, 150 feet west of Grove street.

Judges—Frank Valerga, Geo. S. Naismith.

Inspector—Chas. E. Proctor.

TEMESCAL PRECINCT NO. 2.

Which shall consist of that portion of Oakland township bounded as follows:

All that territory bounded on the north by the center line of Temescal creek; on the east by a line described as follows: Beginning at a point in the center line of Temescal creek, distant 275 feet easterly from the easterly line of College avenue, measured at a right angle thereto, thence running in a southerly direction along a line parallel with and 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of College avenue, and its extension, measured at a right angle thereto to a point on the southerly line of Clifton street, thence in a westerly direction along the southerly line of Clifton street to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Broadway, thence southerly along the southeasterly line of Broadway to its intersection with the charter line of the City of Oakland; bounded on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, on the west by a line described as follows: Beginning where the center line of Telegraph avenue intersects the charter line of the City of Oakland, running thence northerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Shattuck avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Shattuck avenue to the center line of Temescal creek.

Location of polling place—Pedrini's store, 2833 Telegraph avenue.

Judges—P. Swords and R. B. Nixon.

Inspector—W. B. Moody.

PIEDMONT PRECINCT.

Which shall consist of that portion of Oakland township bounded as follows:

Bounded on the west by the southeasterly line of Broadway, on the north and east by a line described as follows: Beginning at the point of intersection of the southeasterly line of Broadway with the southerly line of Clifton street, and running thence in an easterly direction along said line of Clifton street to the westerly line of McAdam street, thence in a direct line due south to the line dividing plots Nos. 13 and 15, as said plots are delineated and so designated upon a map entitled Map of the Rancho of Vicente and Domingo Peralta etc., filed in the office of the Recorder of Alameda county on January 21st, 1857, said plot line is the western boundary line of the St. Mary's Cemetery, thence along said plot line in a southwesterly direction to the most western corner of said plot No. 15, thence in a southeasterly direction following the line dividing plots Nos. 14 and 15, as shown on map of aforesaid ranchos (the last named plot line being the southwesterly boundary of the St. Mary's and Mountain View Cemeteries) to the westerly line of Piedmont Sanitary district, thence following the boundary line of Piedmont Sanitary District in a southerly and then in a southeasterly direction to its intersection with the said northern boundary line of the City of Oakland, bounded on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland.

Location of polling place—Store of J. T. Hawley, N. E. corner of Piedmont and Glen avenues.

Judges—E. Rufus Hill and Geo. W. Kelly.

Inspector—C. H. Starkweather.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

By E. F. HOLLAND, Deputy.

Oakland, May 12th, 1897.

Assessor's Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax Notice.

Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax for two dollars each for the year 1897, is now due and payable at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Section 3339 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

The same laws apply to the collection of Road Poll Tax as to the collection of State Poll Tax.

HENRY P. DALTON,

Assessor of Alameda County.

Oakland, California.

ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 15, 1897, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1897

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629 Political Code becomes liable to a line of one hundred dollars, and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 15th, 1897, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1897.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON,

Assessor of Alameda County.

Oakland, California.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

No. 4293.

In the matter of the estate of Philip Boogar, deceased.

Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate should not be made.

It appearing to the satisfaction of said Court by the duly verified petition this day presented and filed by P. F. Benson and E. M. Paterson, the executors of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased, praying for an order of sale of real estate, that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion of the real estate belonging to the estate of said deceased, to pay the debts outstanding against the said deceased, and the debts, expenses and charges of administration:

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before said Superior Court on Monday, the 14th day of June, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of said Court, Department No. 4, at the Courthouse in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, then and there to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said executors to sell so much of said real estate as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published four successive weeks in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said Alameda county.

Dated May 7th, 1897.

E. R. OGDEN,

Judge of the Superior Court.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Josephine Schnelly, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Josephine Schnelly, deceased, and for the issuance to Joseph Schnelly of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 31st day of May, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated May 17th, A. D. 1897.

(Seal of Court) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.

A. COMTE JR., Attorney for Petitioner.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance regulating the holding of public meetings in any public street, square, park, lane, alley, court or other public place, or at or in front of the entrance to any public building situated within the fire limits in the city of Oakland.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

It is hereby declared to be unlawful for any person or persons to conduct or take part in any public meeting held on any public street, or in any square, park, lane, alley, court or other public place, or at or in front of the entrance to any public building within the fire limits in the city of Oakland, unless permission to hold such public meeting shall first have been obtained in writing from the Mayor of the said city of Oakland. Said permission in writing shall designate the time and place, when and where, such meetings shall be held.

SECTION II.

Any person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be fined in a sum not to exceed one hundred ($100.00) dollars, and in case said fine be not paid, then the person or persons so fined shall be imprisoned in the City Prison of the city of Oakland at the rate of one (1) day for every two ($2.00) dollars of the fine so imposed or remaining unpaid.

SECTION III.

Ordinance No. 1676, entitled "An Ordinance regulating the holding of public meetings on any public street situated within the fire limits in the city of Oakland," approved March 21st, 1895, and all other Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION IV.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., May 17th, 1897.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Heilmann, Hendebry, Rowe, Upton and President Pringle—8.

Noes—Messrs. Pillish, Girard and Watkinson—3.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, May 25th, 1897.

Notice for sealed proposals to redeem municipal bonds of the city of Oakland. Public notice is hereby given by the Treasurer of the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, that he has now on hand, in the City Treasury of the said city of Oakland, the sum of ten thousand ($10,000) dollars for the purpose of the redemption of bonds numbers twenty-three to thirty-two (23 to 32), both numbers inclusive, issued in accordance with an act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide funds for the city of Oakland," approved March 27th, 1872, which said act may be found on page 695 of the statutes of the State of California for the year 1871-72.

That the said City Treasurer will receive sealed proposals for the surrender of the aforesaid bonds at the rates not exceeding par value.

Said sealed proposals will be received at the office of the said City Treasurer, at the City Hall of the said City of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, each day, excepting Sundays and legal holidays, from 9 o'clock A. M. until 5 o'clock P. M. from and after May 13th, 1897, up to and including the 21st day of June, A. D. 1897, and said sealed proposals will be opened by the said City Treasurer at his said office at the hour of 12 o'clock noon on the 22nd day of June, 1897, in the presence of the President of the City Council of the said city of Oakland.

And they shall accept the lowest proposals at rates not exceeding par value, as may redeem the greatest number of bonds, until the amount of said $10,000 is exhausted.

Dated Oakland, Cal., May 13th, 1897.

Z. T. GILPIN,

City Treasurer of the city of Oakland, Alameda county, California.

Notice for sealed proposals to redeem municipal bonds of the city of Oakland. Public notice is hereby given by the Treasurer of the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, that he has now on hand, in the City Treasury of the said city of Oakland, the sum of $9,000 (nine thousand dollars), for the purpose of the redemption of bonds numbered from eight to thirteen (8 to 13) of the denomination of $1,000 each.

Also bonds numbered from seven to twelve (7 to 12) of the denomination of $500 each. Each of the above mentioned numbers are to be understood to be inclusive. Said bonds issued in accordance with an act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide for the liquidation of the floating indebtedness of the city of Oakland, to prevent the incurring of further debts," approved March 30th, 1874, which said act may be found on page 793, etc., of the statutes of the State of California for the year 1873-4.

That the said City Treasurer will receive sealed proposals for the surrender of the aforesaid bonds at the rates not exceeding par value.

Said sealed proposals will be received at the office of the said City Treasurer, at the City Hall of the said City of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, each day, excepting Sundays and legal holidays, from 9 o'clock A. M. until 5 o'clock P. M. from and after May 13th, 1897, up to and including the 21st day of June, A. D. 1897, and said sealed proposals will be opened by the said City Treasurer at his said office at the hour of 12 o'clock noon on the 22nd day of June, 1897, in the presence of the President of the City Council of the said city of Oakland.

And they shall accept the lowest proposals at rates not exceeding par value, as may redeem the greatest number of bonds, until the amount of said $9,000 is exhausted.

Dated Oakland, Cal., May 13th, 1897.

Z. T. GILPIN,

City Treasurer of the city of Oakland, Alameda county, California.

Notice of Street Work.—Notice is hereby given, that on the 20th day of May, A. D. 1897, the City Council of the city of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention No. 22,349 to order the following street work to be done, viz:

That Cedar street in said city, from the southern line of Seventh street to the northern line of the right of way of the Central Pacific Railroad, excepting therefrom the crossing of 5th or William street and also excepting therefrom such portion as is required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, be graded to the official line and grade, curbed with wood and macadamized with class 2 macadam; also that gutters three feet in width of broken rock and grouted be constructed thereon.

For further particulars, reference is hereby made to said Resolution and specifications for street work on file in the office of the City Clerk of the city of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in the Oakland Tribune, being the newspaper designated by said City Council for such publication.

Oakland, May 22d, 1897.

M. K. MILLER,

Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Johanne Hiegel, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator with will annexed of the estate of Johanne Hiegel, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the office of Wm. H. Knight, No. 118 Broadway, Oakland, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Johanne Hiegel, deceased.

WM. H. KNIGHT,

Administrator with will annexed of the estate of Johanne Hiegel, deceased.

Dated Oakland, May 7th, 1897.

GEO. E. DE GOLIA, Attorney.

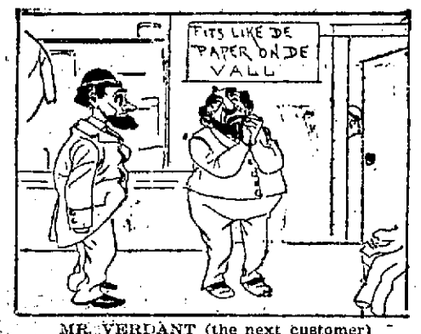
A FATHER'S PRIDE—HIS "FRISCO" BOYS.

MR. RAFFLESTEIN—S' hellup me gracious! You poys are dressed shoost like I dells you. Now, ven I galls Ikey inter der shop, Ikey gomes in, undt ven I galls Shakop, Shakop gomes in. See? Ve vill half no gustomers leaf our store no more!

MR. HAYSEED—Don't you think the suit be too small for me, and the hat too large?

MR. RAFFLESTEIN—Too small? Oh, mein gracious! Vot ignorance! Dot fit is shoost der style. Vait, I galls mein sohn, Ikey. He shows you. Ikey!

MR. RAFFLESTEIN—Dere you see mein sohn Ikey. He is galled der "Peau Prummel of der Gent House." Der best dressed man on der street. See der fit of his glothings. Shoost like yours. You takes der suit? Goodt! You gan make no mistakes by copying der styles from mein sohn, Ikey.



MR. VERDANT (the next customer)—This suit here is too darned big for me! This hat is too small, too!

MR. RAFFLESTEIN—Oh, mein fadders! Dese country beoples vat knows noddings apout der new English styles. Vait till I gall mein sohn, he vill show you. Shakop! Shakop!

MR. RAFFLESTEIN—Too large, you says? Shoost vatch mein sohn, Shakop. Dey make der fashion plates from dot poy. He vears only der latest styles. You dakes der suit? Goodt! You shows goodt schudgement, mein friendt, in following dot most stylish poy in der town.

INTELLIGENT PEOPLE

Are commencing to know GENUINE BARGAINS from the COUNTERFEIT KIND, which run riot all over town. HENCE THE PHENOMENAL RUSH OF BUSINESS AT OUR TEMPORARY QUARTERS. It's almost impossible to wait upon the crowds at some hours during the day and evening. GOOD, STYLISH AND WELL-FITTING CLOTHING WAS NEVER BEFORE SLAUGHTERED AT SUCH RIDICULOUSLY LOW FIGURES as we are now compelled to name during this compulsory slaughter of fine clothing, hats and furnishing goods. All we ask is for you to look all over town at what other dealers offer you in print, by word of mouth or show of windows. Then come to us and effect

A POSITIVE SAVING OF FULLY 35 TO 50 PER CENT ON YOUR PURCHASES.

Note These Prices!

Then bring this advertisement with you for reference. Satisfaction guaranteed and your money back if you want it.

Men's $12.50 Suits . . Will go at **$6.50**

Men's $15.00 Overcoats . Will go at **$8.75**

Men's $17.50 Dress Suits Will go at **$9.50**

Men's $4 Cassimere Pants Will go at **$1.95**

JULIUS CÆSAR DOTHEMUP (to Yallar Kid)—Dose Block-Stine labels are about all gone oudt. Run up to de HUB, who sells dere Gouds, and see if you can Goniff some for our Foreman, Won Lung—the first-born Tailor of Chinatown.

YALLAR KID—Yulius, you're on to yer job, as dose Satinet Suits you MARKED DOWN FROM $5 TO $9.99 are about all gone. YULE, youse a disey, but don't let dem drummers pull yer leg wid de brush off dat you're Fly, for dey might let dem Block-Stine Peebles know how you've faked de Countrymen wid dere trademark.

Mothers, Parents AND Guardians!

It's not idle talk with us when we say that WE CAN SELL YOU TWO SUITS FOR YOUR BOYS (during this Great Compulsory Sacrifice Sale) AT ABOUT WHAT ONE WILL POSITIVELY COST YOU ELSEWHERE. Every one knows full well that we ONLY MANUFACTURE AND SELL RELIABLE CLOTHES for boys' wear, and as WE MUST UNLOAD our mammoth stock AT ONCE, WE'VE CUT PRICES in our boys' clothing FAR BELOW the corner-stone of Rock Bottom. Come and inspect our line of boys' and children's fine and richly tailored suits and overcoats, and if we can't

SAVE YOU MANY DOLLARS ON YOUR PURCHASES

We won't ask or ever expect your valuable patronage

Note These Prices!

Then bring this advertisement with you for reference. Satisfaction guaranteed and your money back if you want it.

Child's $4.00 Reefer Suits (ages 4 to 10), will go at **$1.95**

Child's $5 2-Piece Suits (ages 9 to 14), will go at **$2.45**

Boys' $7.00 3-Piece Suits, ages 13 to 19, will go at **$3.75**

Boys' $8.50 3-Piece Suits ages 13 to 19 will go at **$4.95**

This Sale is but for a short period, so come at once and make your selections from the BEST CLASS OF CLOTHING OBTAINABLE in this State or any other State in the Universe.

Store Open Every Evening During This Great Sale.

THE HUB

Store Open Every Evening During This Great Sale.

Temporary Quarters: 220-224 SUTTER ST.

3 doors West of Kearny Street

ALONG THE COAST.

Great is the law, and greater is the Supreme Court's application of the law! A litigant loses a valuable piece of land that was stolen from him, and cannot prove his own title because the Assessor at some period in the city's history was an incompetent, blundering ass. The Superior Court decided that the land belonged to the man who owned it, but the wise old owls of the higher court found that too simple a solution and hunted up reasons for giving the property to the man who annexed it.

The Southern California Railway's operations in the oil fields were begun because some of the oil producers were not satisfied with a good thing, and tried to compel the company to buy oil at a figure just below the cost of coal. The success that has attended the operations may encourage other railroads to acquire oil land and produce their own fuel. The increased comfort of railroad traveling resulting from the use of oil will be appreciated by the public. The next improvement may be in the line of a practicable system of sprinkling the road-bed.

Mescal appears to be getting in its deadly work on the Mexican population in the rural districts with unceasing regularity. A fatal stabbing affray at Corona Saturday night, another near Alamitos Sunday afternoon, one at Chino about a week ago and several recent ones on the outskirts of Redlands, are proof of this. In every instance there was a carousal that wound up with blood-letting, the modus operandi generally being the insertion of a long, keen-bladed knife in the vitals of one or more of the party, a cheerful way the proud descendants of the Montezumas have of settling a dispute.

With the death of Mrs. Ysidora Bandini Coutts yesterday, a link is broken between the California of today and the pastoral California of half a century ago. She was the daughter of Juan Bandini, a man who was great in his day, and more powerful and better known than any man on the Pacific Coast. He was progressive and a friend of the Americans, his daughter, who died yesterday helped her sisters to sew the first American flag ever made in California, and his children married Americans, founding families which are today among the best known in California.

The Council was in a compliant humor yesterday and adopted without winking the plans and estimates of the new school buildings as submitted by the Board of Education. One Councilman acknowledged that he had never seen the reports which were so hastily approved, but as in the short time that the papers were in the hands of the Council it would have been impossible to verify their accuracy, perhaps he was no less prepared to vote than his colleagues. The entire incident is to be remembered as an illustration of the manner in which the Council proposes to act as the tacit agent of the Board of Education throughout the entire bond proceedings.—Los Angeles Times.

Thirty Pair white Blankets, All new and fresh, at trustee's sale at H. Schellhaas' store, Eleventh street, by Charles Wolfport.

TALES OF TAILORS.

The New York tailors, in order to handle the strike, will, of course, organize in nines.—Council Bluffs Nonpareil.

With 18,000 tailors on a strike in New York, the feathers will certainly fly. By the way, did the striking tailors lay down their geese, or did they lay down their gooses?—Omaha World Herald.

Eighteen thousand tailors are on a strike in New York and its environments. According to Queen Elizabeth's arithmetic, this throws about 2,000 men out of employment.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Nineteen thousand tailors quit work in New York City and 4,000 women propose to join them, and we are told 3,500 shops are idle. Possibly we can go back to the ancient methods and the women in the homes proceed to gather their thimbles and machines and clothe their families. A little more of that kind of work would be healthful to every community.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Is it not a rather unpromising time for the tailors of New York or any other city to strike? Much better would it be for them to wait until the Advance Agent of Prosperity had begun to do something that would enable them to secure the advance in wages they demand.—Pittsburg Herald.

The big strike of the New York tailors would have a better chance of success if the people who wear clothes were in a condition to pay better prices for them and to buy them more frequently. As things stand today, it is doubtful if the condition of the clothing trade warrants any considerable advance in tailors' wages.—Boston Herald.

Substitution

the fraud of the day.

See you get Carter's,

Ask for Carter's,

Insist and demand

Carter's Little Liver Pills.

PROSPERITY FOLLOWS
In the wake of Enterprise. The lesson taught by ADVERTISING amply proves this.

Oakland Tribune.

THE WORLD IS WIDE
but not too wide for THE TRIBUNE to be able to print each day all the news of Importance that occurs in every corner of it.

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LOCKED IN THEIR CELLS

No Chances Taken With the San Quentin Convicts.

A CASE OF STARVE OUT.

Warden Hale and the Directors Determined to Bring the Convicts to Time.

OPIUM TRAFFIC CAUSED IT.

The Fiends Will Sacrifice Anything to Get the Drug to Their Cell's.

REFORMS ARE SUGGESTED.

Director Fitzgerald a Stout Advocate of the System Used in Australia.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN QUENTIN, Cal, May 28—There were no new developments in the situation at the State Prison this morning as neither the authorities nor the striking convicts were in a position to make any further demonstration one way or the other

In view of the determined attitude assumed by the convicts yesterday, Warden Hale concluded it would be unwise to try the experiment again of lining the men up in the jute mill and ascertaining whether or not they were willing to resume labors.

In order, therefore, to convince the strikers that no further nonsense would be tolerated that official will leave the 400 placed in solitary confinement on Thursday afternoon in their cells until Monday, by which time he confidently expects they will have reached the conclusion that the officials and not the convicts are running the prison

Should they not realize their error meantime, harsher measures will probably be taken to bring them to a proper sense of their position in the premises, but what these are the officials decline to predict.

Warden Hale is resolved to impress upon his fractious wards, once and for all that he will not be bluffed and his next move will probably convey that fact to the discontented jute miller.

FITZGERALD TALKS.

The Prison Director Expresses Himself on the Strike.

The strike at San Quentin is in many respects a remarkable affair The entire force of 720 men employed in the jute mill refused to go to work yesterday until certain demands they made were complied with They asked for a reform in the kitchen, that Captain Chappelear the steward be removed, and that all the present cooks be discharged and the prisoners be allowed to name their own cooks. Furthermore they demanded the privilege of receiving fresh fruit and outdoor supplies.

The strike occurred at 7 30 A M. The men work from that hour until 4 30 P M with three quarters of an hour interval at noon for luncheon The engine started up as usual but the men refused to work and when ordered to do so by the guards, each convict stood silent and sullen but would not raise a finger to commence work.

Warden Hale came quickly to the scene and on hearing the grievances and what the men demanded told them their requests would not be complied with. He then ordered them to work but they again refused. The incident closed by the officers picking out 400 convicts who were placed in solitary confinement on bread and water diet Seventy of the prisoners who were thought to be the ringleaders were locked up in the dungeons and so the day came to an end

Prison Director R. M Fitzgerald of this city received full advices of the matter in this morning's mail from San Quentin. Warden Hale reported to him a detailed account of all that had occurred and explained the situation thoroughly.

"No, there has been no call issued complaints about not being properly fed" continued Mr Fitzgerald "The Directors have frequently inspected the kitchens and arrangements at meal times and although it is of course said that as they know we are coming everything is better than usual I do not think that is the case The food is all good, pure and wholesome and is supplied according to the contracts As for the cooking, it is done by the prisoners themselves, the selections being made from the good cooks who now and then get into the jail

"The convicts are well fed Their diet consists of roast beef, beefsteaks, soup, potatoes, fresh bread, pork and beans and coffee and the men who work get meat three times a day or twice a day alternated with pork and beans or fish. They get regular allowances of roast beef and steak and there is no limit to the bread, coffee and so forth.

"I think the present trouble is due to the opium fiends Try how we will, it seems impossible to keep the drug out of the prison, but of late a rule we made cut off most of their supplies, and I think the fact that opium is getting scarce there has much to do with the strike The new rule I refer to was one cutting off the reception by the prisoners of food, fruits or supplies of any kind from the outside

"I will give you an idea of why we had to do this A pair of slippers was sent to 'Ohio Fatty,' one of the most dangerous criminals in our charge. It was noticed that the soles were not made in the regular manner, so they were cut open and this disclosed some paper money, one-dollar and three-dollar bills, which was to be used of course in the purchase of opium.

"On another occasion a fine turkey, cooked and dressed was sent to one of the convicts Artfully concealed in the center of the dressing was a large ball of opium Some cigars sent to another prisoner proved to have dollar bills rolled in with the tobacco The covers of books have often proved receptacle for money and opium, and all kinds of tricks have been played with fruit—for instance holes would be bored and scooped out, opium put in and then the surface all fixed up again.

"We found that the only way we could check this sort of thing was by making a flat rule that nothing from the outside should be received for the prisoners This is now in effect, and as I said before, I think the fact that this means of obtaining opium has been cut off has much to do with the present disturbance

"It is astonishing what these men will do to get the drug. 'It is the greatest thing we have to fight, and strive as we may, we seem impossible to check it Why, we have taken away as high as six years' credits from a man for having opium but even that has done no good The drug gets into the prison in all sorts of ways. In addition to the medium of outside supplies which we have now checked, it is planted around the jail by discharged prisoners. The men going out make an agreement with those inside as to where it will be left and there are many opportunities to bury it. On the road for instance, where our convict gangs are working there is nothing to prevent outsiders from hiding opium where they know the men will be laboring, and although we frequently search them afterwards they succeed in secreting it Then again the men working around the warden's house, the officers quarters, etc, have lots of opportunities and it has been claimed that some of the free men employed in the prison have sold it to them, though I doubt very much that this sort of traffic is going on now

"The reason the men have money sent in to them is so that they can use it for the purchase of the drug and also to give to those about to be discharged so that they will come back and plant it for them.

A NEW SYSTEM.

"In my opinion our entire prison system should be changed," added Mr. Fitzgerald, "and I, for one heartily advocate the plan in vogue in Australia. When a prisoner goes to the penitentiary there he is placed in the first grade for a term varying according to the length of his sentence, and ranging from three to six months While in this grade he is continually in solitary confinement, his board is the most frugal possible consisting principally of bread and water, his work is the most severe within the prison walls and when tired and hungry his day is over he goes to a dark cell where he sleeps on boards with just enough blankets to keep away the cold By the time this preliminary experience is over the prisoner realizes that law breaking is accompanied by severe punishment.

"If the convict has behaved well during this first term and has shown a disposition to abide by the rules of the place he is at the expiration of the time of this pseudo apprenticeship promoted to a second class He now gets more privileges. He is given a companion in his cell, his food is better, his work lighter and his accommodations more comfortable In this way he passes along for another period of his imprisonment and then if he has still proved a good prisoner he is once more promoted to the third and highest class In this grade he gets the fullest privileges possible to accord a prisoner and if the conditions permit it he is released on ticket-of-leave and simply has to report once a month to the authorities Furthermore he is not sent out on the world with the stigma of jail-bird attached to him—the system there includes the obtaining of work for him and the giving him of every opportunity to lead an honest life.

"So much for the inducements held out for a prisoner to behave properly and now for the other side of it. Should he prove vicious, hardened, and incorrigible he is kept continuously in the first grade and sooner or later his rebellious spirit is broken and he is only

HE FACED A GUN.

How a Clerk at Levin's Prevented Threatened Bloodshed.

STOOD BETWEEN COMBATANTS.

Offered Himself as a Target for a Companion's Bullets.

THE SHOOTER DISTRACTED

A Very Spirited Encounter Out of a Friendly Sparring Bout.

There was a lively fight this morning in Levin s grocery store at the corner of Tenth and Washington streets, and it drew a large crowd in a very short time. It was the result of a friendly boxing match. The participants were Frank Herricks, who keeps a cigar stand in Levin s show window, and Dick Briggs, one of the clerks in the store.

The two met at 8 o'clock in front of the store and commenced boxing with open hands in a friendly way Briggs was trying to knock Herrick's hat off, and accidentally struck rather low, catching Herricks on the ear

In a moment Herricks, who has a hot temper, was slogging at Briggs' head as fast as he could use his arms, and when Briggs saw that his assailant was angry he closed in on him and threw him to the ground

Then Briggs tried to get away, but before he could do so Herricks was up and had pulled a gun from his pocket.

John Rodgers, another clerk in Levin s store, who is a friend of Herricks, jumped in front of the gun and exclaimed dramatically "For God's sake, Frank, shoot me if you're going to shoot anybody"

The ringing tones of his friend drew Herricks' attention from Briggs as it also scattered the crowd that had assembled and Herricks was induced to give Rodgers his pistol

The men returned to their separate tasks and the crowd then dispersed. No arrests were made.

A CALIFORNIA SOUVENIR.

An Interesting Work to Be Issued by the State Board of Trade.

One of the most valuable publications relating to the resources and capabilities of California is announced by the State Board of Trade This work will be issued for distribution during the Christian Endeavor Convention in July, with the intent of presenting the salient advantages of California in a compact and interesting form for the consideration of the 15,000 strangers who are expected to be in attendance upon the Convention

The publication is in editorial charge of W. H Mills of the Board of Trade and with rare discretion he has secured the assistance of able specialists whose articles have been prepared with a purpose single to a concrete presentation of the fact as it applies to California For instance Alfred Holman, of the "Pacific Rural Press" will write on 'Agricultural Policies" meeting all the objections of Eastern agriculturists unfamiliar with Californian necessities; E J. Wickson, of the State University will contribute a paper on "Horticulture," Professor E W Hilgard will give a scientific explanation of the cause and effect of Californian climate, Elwood Cooper discourses on "Olive Culture," I. N Hoag, of Los Angeles, furnishes a paper on 'Citrus Fruit Culture," Charles A Wetmore in a sprightly sketch entitled 'In a Vine Growing Valley" reviews the practical and moral phases of viticulture in California, W. S Green has an article on 'Indigenous Forage Plants," C E. Grunsky treats of "Irrigation" Samuel E Watson offers valuable information concerning "Dairying in California," and J. A. Finch, the Petaluma expert writes of 'Poultry."

In addition to these articles on the special industries of California the following subjects will be treated in this book "Early history of California" by D R Sessions, "Political Status of California," by Horace Davis, "Commercial Position of California," by W. L Merry, 'Mining,' by Charles E. Uren, 'Immigration,' by John P. Irish, "Transportation," by W G Curtis, "Scenery," by John Muir, 'Forests," by Charles H. Shinn 'Fruit Canning Industry," by J F Flickinger, "The Lick Observatory," by Director E S Holden, and "Californian Newspapers," by J. S. Filcher

The book will also contain much statistical information from the latest available reports relating to the social, political, religious, fraternal, and charitable organizations of California, and it will be freely illustrated

The cover will be a work of art in purple and gold, the colors of the Christian Endeavor Societies, and the frontispiece is designed from a handsome painting of a bunch of Californian poppies by Miss Eva Withrow It is the intention of the designers to make it the most complete and practical compen-

TIME TO BAG ONE.

Foot-Pads and Burglars Still Thrive in Their Calling.

A WOMAN MADE A VICTIM.

Held Up While Walking Along Seventh Street.

RESIDENCES ARE BROKEN INTO.

Thus Far No Good Clue Has Been Found to the Perpetrators.

As Mrs M J Bradley was walking along Seventh street last evening she was robbed of her hand satchel containing $3 in coin and several articles of jewelry The robbery occurred on the south side of the street between Brush and Castro streets

Mrs Bradley was proceeding along slowly when she noticed two men coming toward her As it was quite early in the evening she paid no attention to them nor did they seem to pay any attention to her till they were just opposite her When one of the men snatched the satchel from Mrs Bradley s hand and the two made off down the street

It was all done so suddenly that the woman was bewildered and made no outcry A man who was across the street at the time gave chase, but he was soon outdistanced by the robbers

The description given of the men is meagre One was naturally shorter than the other and the description shows that the shorter man looked like a Portuguese

It is believed by the police that the men are the same footpads who held up Police Officer Boyce in Oakland, Nightwatchman Taggart in Martinez and Miss Annie Galloway in Oakland

Several other robberies were committed yesterday evening The home of T L Horn, 1113 Alice street, was entered in broad daylight and considerable jewelry, an overcoat and several other articles stolen The family was away all the afternoon and the burglary was committed during that time

A Mexican bridle, valued at $3 50 was stolen from Kane & Daly's El Dorado stables, and the Haywards electric line reports that a steel bar valued at $6 was stolen from one of its cars

The home of Ex-Mayor W R Davis, at 322 Twenty-second street was entered by burglars early yesterday morning and a quantity of clothing was stolen The burglars made no noise and the household knew nothing of the occurrence till evening.

EXPECTED TOMORROW

Governor Budd About to Act on the Durrant Case.

Special to the Tribune.

SACRAMENTO, May 28—Governor Budd's decision in the Durrant case will, it is expected, be rendered tomorrow afternoon

The Governor will come here and give his decision from official headquarters.

WILL NOT MEDIATE

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MADRID, May 28—A semi-official denial is given today of the published statement that President McKinley has made overtures to Spain on the subject of Cuba

It is reiterated it is impossible for the Spanish Government to accept mediation on a question which "concerns Spain alone"

$1000

to be divided among those who guess the missing word in the following sentence: *Schilling's Best* tea is not only pure but it is ——— because it is fresh-roasted.

Your first food was milk.

It should always be your

KNOCKED HIM DOWN

Assistant Fire Chief Murdock Goes for Jack Rohan.

CLIMAX OF A LONG QUARREL.

Rohan Was Circulating an Affidavit Against Murdock.

GRAVE CHARGES CONTAINED.

The Fire Official Responded With His Clenched Fists.

Assistant Chief of the Fire Department Fred Murdock and Jack Rohan, foreman of hose 2, had a fist fight at Fourteenth and Washington streets at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Rohan is a well known politician, and it is understood that he has been making a fight against Murdock and Chief Fair.

For a week or so Rohan has been showing around an affidavit purporting to come from Harry Lawson, who is at present serving a term in San Quentin for holding up a man on the Twelfth street dam

The affidavit sets forth that during the months of February, August and March, 1896, Fred Murdock, formerly assistant chief engineer of the fire department, visited his room on Webster street, between Lighth and Ninth On the first visit he asked what Lawson was doing. Lawson replied that he was working occasionally for George Reid, and Murdock remarked that there was an easier way to make money—by giving the boys a run in the fire department Lawson asked him what he meant by that, and Murdock answered by setting some of these rookeries on fire Lawson answered that that was not in his line of business

The affidavit then relates other meetings and of Murdock's arranging for meetings which Lawson would not keep. At one time Murdock, so the affidavit states, offered Lawson $200 for doing the work.

The object Murdock had in offering the money or wishing the rookeries fired is not given.

Shortly before 3 o'clock today Murdock met Rohan on the corner of Fourteenth and Washington streets, across from the City Hall, and said, "Jack, let me see that affidavit you have been circulating about me"

Accounts differ as to Rohan's answer

Murdock claims that Rohan said he had no such affidavit, and Rohan says he answered that he would not let Murdock see it.

Which ever way it is, it is certain that Murdock answered

'You're a ——— liar," and struck Rohan a hard blow just above the eye.

Blow after blow was struck and Rohan was knocked down twice. Finally he got to his feet and away from Murdock running across the street into the City Prison Murdock followed him to the prison door, and then turned and went around to the engine house.

Rohan went to Prosecuting Atorney Al Moore and swore out a complaint charging Murdock with battery.

When the battle was over Murdock appeared without a scratch, but Rohan was considerably worse for the blows. His nose was skinned, his head cut in several places and there is a "shanty" on his eye and another on the cheek bone

He says that Murdock kicked him after he was down. This Murdock denies

"I asked Rohan," said Murdock to a Tribune man, "to see the affidavit and he said he did not have it. His answer made me so angry that I suspended him and then gave him a thrashing. If he had not been a cowardly cur he would have stood up and fought me like a man.

"I stood up and fought as long as I could," said Rohan, "but he is too heavy for me and his superior weight forced me down. After he got me down he tried to kick the head off me. That shows what kind of a man he is."

The affair created the greatest excitement around the City Hall.

M'COPPIN'S FUNERAL.

With Due Honors the Veteran Is Borne to the Grave.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28—The funeral services for Frank McCoppin were celebrated at St. Mary's Cathedral at 10 30 o'clock this morning The ceremony was a most impressive one

There was a solemn high mass with Father Prendergast as master of ceremonies, Father Charles Ramm deacon, Father E P Dempsey subdeacon and Father Hunnegan assisting.

The pall-bearers were the following named prominent citizens of San Francisco W. F. Goad, Mayor James D. Phelan, J. Downey Harvey, Hermann Oelrichs, Judge W T. Wallace, Judge Hayne, R. E Doyle, General Forsythe, Joseph Clark, and C H. Howard

The funeral cortege was again preceded by four hundred postmen on foot. The remains were conveyed to Calvary Cemetery, where they were placed in the Donohoe vault with the usual interment ceremonies.

DIED BY THE ROADSIDE.

James Black of Mission San Jose Takes a Fatal Drive.

MISSION SAN JOSE May 28—About 2 o clock this morning the dead body of James Black, a wealthy rancher of this place, was found on the road leading from Arlington to Warm Springs

Death had probably occurred several hours before

Black had spent the early part of the evening in town, and had started home quite late

He had been drinking some, but not enough to cause him to lose consciousness of what he was doing.

He was driving a frisky horse in a light open buggy, and it is supposed that the nervous animal became frightened, shied and threw the driver out. Black's head had struck a stone, inflicting a deep scalp wound and death was undoubtedly caused by concussion of the brain

Black was 53 years of age and was one of the wealthiest farmers in the neighborhood.

He leaves a wife, but no children.

The inquest will be held this evening and the funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

OFFICIAL DRAWING ORIGINAL LITTLE BENEFICENCIA PUBLICA CO.

CITY OF MEXICO—The leading prizes drawn May 27th are

12613	$3750
22477	1250
66070	625
16529	500
22490	500
46800	500
54731	500
74949	500

Notice—All tickets ending with 70, being the last two figures of the third capital prize, will be entitled to 50 cents

All prizes cashed by Henry S. Cahn & Co, 328 Montgomery street, San Francisco.

HOW TO REMAIN YOUNG.

This subject interests young and old. To retain youth, no continued worry upon the mind For instance in moving merchandise, nothing is more ageing than the continual worry that the express company will not be on time To be free from this worry, call telephone No 12 ,Whitney Transfer Company and they will give you prompt service.

THE THREE TALES OF THREE VICTIMS OF POISON OAK.

CHAPTER I—
A Bad Case
James Hoffman of Petaluma writes "one-half bottle cured me in short order, and I gladly send you my testimonial."

CHAPTER II—
Picnic Terrors
"A trip to a Sunday School picnic caused a big case of poison oak. Your remedy received by mail cured me promptly," writes Chas Jenkins of Redwood City.

CHAPTER III—
Smith's Case
"I was always susceptible to poison oak. Valentine's Remedy not only cured an acute attack but I have since been protected from catching it by using the remedy," writes Peter Smith of Petaluma.

VALENTINE'S ☆ REMEDY
—FOR—
POISON OAK
CURED

MAY BE A MURDER

A Woman Found Hanging Back of a Hotel.

HER HEAD FRACTURED.

Nevada City Furnishes a Sensation and Much Work for the Police.

THE BODY IS IDENTIFIED.

She Proves to Be the Wife of Geo. Gehrig, a Well Known Man About Town.

INDICATIONS OF A STRUGGLE.

Pools of Blood and a Gory-Stained Club Found at the Scene of the Crime.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

NEVADA, Cal, May 28.—A woman who arrived at the National Exchange Hotel at 10 o'clock Wednesday night and registered as Mrs Frances Zeitlag, of San Francisco, was found early this morning hanging by the neck in a woodshed in the rear of the hotel.

She had been dead several hours.

A cord around the neck was attached to a nail a foot above the head and the body was in a crouching posture.

The skull was fracture.

Several pools of blood were on the ground a few feet from the body and there were marks on the ground indicating the body had been dragged to where it was found.

Some sticks of woodm near by were discolored with blood.

The woman is unknown here.

She was of medium height, thick set, about forty, had dark hair sprinkled with gray, dark blue eyes, plain black dress, and wore false teeth.

Public opinion is divided, the majority of the people believing murder.

The officers are conducting the investigation on the theory that the woman was beaten and then hung by her assailant

IDENTIFIED AT LAST.

The woman whose body was found hanging this morning at the rear of the National Exchange Hotel was identified at noon by George Gehrig, the well known local brewer, as his wife.

She left home Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock and her husband's efforts to find her have been unavailing till now.

She sent a letter written in German to the Daily Transcript saying truth, virtue, and honesty are the noblest qualities of mankind, and charging her husband with being false to her.

Gehrig and their neighbors say she has been acting queerly for some time, and they believe she was insane.

She leaves six children.

The case continues to be wrapped in mystery.

The remains have just been removed from the City Hall to the Gehrig home.

CHAS. H. WOOD
CORRECTLY FITTED

SHOT BY A BULLY.

Jim Bryan, a Race Course Tout Lays D. Cronin Low.

AN UNPROVOKED ASSAULT.

A Dangerous Wound in the Right Breast of the Victim.

THE ASSAILANT IN THE JAIL.

Facts Leading Up to the Fight and the Actors in the Affair.

Deputy Constable Denis Cronin was shot and dangerously wounded last night by a man who is known in the vicinity of the race track as James Bryan. The shooting took place in front of "Dog" Soule's saloon on Park avenue just west of the Randlett House, Emeryville and it was the outcome of an old grudge cherished by Bryan against Cronin

The officer has a large beat to cover and, while in the discharge of his duties, he entered the saloon.

Cronin picked up a paper and glanced through it. At the time Bryan and a companion, named John McGinnis, were standing at the bar drinking. Bryan took his hat off exposing a scab on his head, when McGinnis remarked

"Where did you get that mark?"

"That little —— Cronin, clubbed me," was the reply.

"I'd shoot any —— that clubbed me," said McGinnis

In the meantime Cronin had left the saloon without Bryan seeing him. As he went outside, McGinnis observed the deputy and said:

"There goes your man; now is your chance."

The two immediately followed out to the door, but Bryan evidently did not see the deputy constable, which caused McGinnis to remark·

"You must be blind, Daffie, there he is," (pointing to Cronin).

Bryan was then standing on the step in front of the saloon, while Cronin was about twenty feet away The latter turned at hearing the words and then Bryan whipped a pistol from his pocket and fired point-blank.

The bullet entered Cronin's right breast near the shoulder and ranged downward toward the lungs, lacerating the spinal chord The wounded man fell to the sidewalk and several of the witnesses to the affair rushed at Bryan He backed away, however.

Then the assassin walked up to the prostrated man and stood over him, with the revolver in his hand Cronin tried to get at his weapon, but his arms were paralyzed He moaned as he said:

"Well Jim, you've got me Now go for a doctor. I'm done for"

Bryan started to do as he was told, but changed his mind. He went up to Soule, the saloon-keeper, and asked him to get assistance

"It ain't healthy for me to go for no doctor," he said, "you get him one."

TO THE HOSPITAL.

Then he made his escape, running in the direction of the railroad track.

The patrol wagon was summoned and in it Cronin was conveyed to the Receiving Hospital, where he was made as comfortable as possible. Probing for the bullet proved unsuccessful. While the wound is a decidedly dangerous one, it is not necessarily fatal though it may result in death.

As soon as the facts were made known, Sheriff White and Deputy Sheriff Al White started in pursuit of the assassin Police Sergeant Hodgkins with detectives, covered the mole to head off the man in the event that he attempted to escape to San Francisco Chief Lloyd went to Emeryville, while Marshal Cushing, of the town, scoured the outlying territory.

At 3 o'clock the Marshal caught Bryan and took him at once to the county jail, where he now is.

The fellow is but seventeen years old and is known as a race track tout He has a bad reputation, while his idleness and dissolute habits have previously resulted in his arrest

In fact, this is at the bottom of the shooting. Only a few weeks ago Bryan was arrested for vagrancy and the tout swore he would get even after his ten-day sentence expired.

Last night's shooting was the result.

BRYAN'S DEEDS.

At the time of the arrest Bryan made a desperate fight, making it necessary for Cronin to use his club before he could get the hand-cuffs on him. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital on May 2d, where Dr. Stratton dressed a scalp wound. The register shows that the boy has no occupation.

While on the operating table he frequently swore revenge, at one time remarking

"Wait till I get a chance some time when I can take his star away from him. Then I'll fix him for this."

After his wound was dressed he was taken to the jail, where he served a short sentence. A couple of days ago he again appeared before Judge Clift, charged with battery. Cronin himself pleaded with the court to be lenient, as the prisoner intended going to Montana in the evening.

Judge Clift had intended to give him six months, but on his promise to leave the State at once, he was released. Then the boy thanked Cronin for saving him from doing time and departed for Emeryville, going to his lodging at the home of Mrs J. P. Ross on Helen, between B street and the race track.

He had left $7.50 with the landlady and immediately on arriving requested her for $2.50. This was given him.

Meeting the McGinnis boy, the two started on a carouse. They soon became completely under the influence of liquor. Bryan remarked that he wanted to get even with a negro who had been bullying him before he left. Finally the boy determined to get a revolver and shoot his persecutor.

Accordingly he drew the sometimes ... ing before Marshal Cushing located the house. He went to the door and demanded of Mr. Ross, who opened it, to turn over Bryan.

Ross declared the boy was not in the house, but a systematic search was made nevertheless. Then, just as the officer was about to leave, he espied an outhouse about fifty feet away.

Forcing his way in he found the young assassin behind the door. To get the boy to the county jail was but the work of a half-hour. On the way down the prisoner refused to talk about the affair at all, though later to Al White he admitted the shooting, and was very anxious to know of his victim's condition.

The only regret he expressed was that he did not kill the negro who had been bullying him.

IDENTIFIED.

At 4 o'clock in the morning Deputy Sheriff Al White and Jailor Lane, took Bryan to the Receiving Hospital for Cronin to identify him. White asked the wounded man if he knew the prisoner.

"Yes," was the reply, "he is the fellow who shot me."

"I'm sorry, Denny," apologetically responded Bryan.

"Good bye, old man, I'm done for," answered Cronin.

When searched at the jail Bryan had $1.60 in change and the pistol with him. It was fully loaded, the boy having evidently replaced the empty cartridge with a new one

A visit to the prisoner resulted in gaining no additional information.

"What's the use of talking, it can't do no good," was all he would say, though he declared he had made no admission to the effect that he had shot Cronin

John McGinnis, whom Al White also arrested, to be held as a witness, would not talk either He disclaimed all knowledge of the shooting, though said he had been with Bryan all day

Cronin's condition is so serious that small hope is now entertained for his recovery Dr. Stratton has refused to allow anyone to see him. The unfortunate man is almost completely paralyzed while he has absolutely no control ove rhis lower limbs

The bullet still remains in the wound for as it is in such close proximity to the spinal chord that probing is at present extremely dangerous.

His wife, child, mother and sister have been at the hospital nearly all day The wounded man is a brother of Constable Jack Cronin and since his appointment has done very efficient work

Bryan, who is also known as "J. F." and "Daffie Bryant," came here with the Eastern string of racers He did little or nothing at the track, though he occasionally exercised horses. His home is in Iuka, Marion county, Illinois, where he says he has two brothers and a mother, who own farms. Two years ago he ran away from home and since then has been knocking about the country from Mexico to Montana He intended to leave for the latter State today.

William Soule swore out a warrant this afternoon charging Bryan and McGinnis with assault to murder

At 3 30 o'clock this afternoon there was a slight change for the better in Cronin's condition.

LOCKED IN THEIR CELLS.

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most depraved and hardened criminals will lead exemplary lives during the rest of their terms, rather than return to it It is a well known fact, too, that the most vicious criminals make the best prisoners when they know there is nothing to do but be subjective It is the young fellows who think they are smart that cause all the trouble—the old-timers fear the consequences too much to try and buck against an irresistible force.

"If we could adopt this Australian system in our penitentiaries here I am sure the results would show a vast improvement over our present methods The prison directors have, of course, in their power now to regulate the jails, and the only thing that stops us from putting it into effect is the lack of accommodations. It would require the building of another wing to the prisons and in this all the first grades could be kept in solitary confinement and boarded at a special table. At present we have not enough single cells to do it, and furthermore we have no way of giving them special board, as the men all sit down together and it is impossible to discriminate in the food unless they are placed so that they cannot see what the others are getting. We once attempted the experiment of grading the food for the various prisoners and it almost brought about a riot. Those getting limited food would snatch it from the tables of those who were more favored, and the trouble became so serious that we had to stop it and return to the old plan.

"The only trouble is that we will have to go to the Legislature and ask for money to inaugurate the new method and then, of course, the old cry will be raised about giving too much money to the prisons. If the members of the Legislature would only investigate, though, and weigh the advantages to be gained by the undertaking I am sure it would be adopted and then there would be an end to all trouble such as the present one—you never hear of such things as strikes in the English or Australian prisons and you would not here if we had the same system"

REFUNDING THE BONDS.

City Attorney Dow Wants to Settle That Issue of 1882

City Attorney Dow is working on an ordinance to refund the $140,000 bonds which were first issued in 1882 and which became due October 1st, 1895. The last Legislature passed an act giving the Council the power to refund bonds without submitting the question to the people.

Mr. Dow believes that act to be unconstitutional, as the constitution provides that such propositions must be submitted to the people.

However that may be, Mr. Dow says the bonds must be refunded, so he will draw up the ordinance, have it passed and then get the Mayor to refuse to sign the bonds. That would bring the proceedings into court and would test the validity of the Legislature's act.

REST IN DEATH.

Mrs. Pauline Yager Dies Alone at an Advanced Age.

A DEADLY MEAL.

Besson and Blight Find Death in the "Staff of Life."

ARSENIC IN THE BISCUIT

The Fatal Mistake Made by an Amateur Cook.

TWO SUBSTANCES CONFOUNDED

The Drug Supposed to Be So Much Baking Powder.

A remarkable case of poisoning occurred on the Morse ranch at Sunol yesterday and as a result two men are now dead. The victims were Fred Beeson and a man named Blight.

There is every indication that the affair was an accident.

A few days ago the Morse ranch was leased to a Mr Berry, who engaged Beeson and Blight in San Francisco to work on the ranch.

Berry and his son went down to Sunol Wednesday and the two farm hands followed yesterday.

Berry had failed to provide a cook, and when the men reached the ranch, Beeson volunteered his services to cook the noon-day meal.

In the meantime Berry and his son went to Sunol to lay in another supply of food

In cooking the meal yesterday Beeson found a baking powder can which he supposed contained soda.

He put three heaping spoonsful of the contents into the dough for a batch of biscuits.

When too late it was learned that the can had contained arsenic

Soon after the meal had been finished both men were taken with violent cramps and were found in that condition by Berry when he returned at 1 o'clock

Emetics were given the men and Dr. T. W. Webster was summoned from Sunol

He arrived at 3 o'clock and made an heroic attempt to save the men, but was unsuccessful, and at 5 30 o'clock P. M. Beeson passed away Blight followed him a few hours later.

Beeson was 42 years of age, and Blight was 45 years The bodies were taken to Livermore, where Coroner Baldwin will hold an inquest today.

KEEFER'S HAT FOUND.

Evidence That the Mining Man Met With Foul Play.

The Theory of His Oakland Dupes Not Borne Out by Facts.

Facts have come to light that have made it almost certain that Windsor A. Keefer, the mining man, has met with foul play.

Keefer was well known in this city, having had dealings with Mrs. Gunther and other women, who claim that Keefer induced them to make investments by which he alone profited.

Yesterday a dispatch was received from Angels Camp stating that a hat, believed to be Keefer's, had been found near the place where the missing man was last seen The hat has several buckshot holes in it and was found in a heap of debris by W. S. Longstreth.

Two weeks ago a searching party consisting of James Sheehan, C. Davis and Longstreth left San Francisco to make a thorough search of Angels Camp. Davis and Sheehan returned yesterday and soon after their arrival they received a dispatch which read: "Found hat in debris, five buckshot holes in it."

The party worked on the theory that Keefer has been murdered and that his dead body is now lying in the debris of the Jupiter mine.

Mrs Gunther, who lives at 1319 Eleventh avenue, stated some weeks ago that she did not believe Keefer was murdered, as there were many circumstances that would make it desirable for him to keep out of sight. Her story was voiced by several other women in this city, who had taken Keefer's advice in stock speculating, but it would now seem that these reasons are not the cause of his strange disappearance.

TO SAIL AT LAST.

The Commission Men's Steamer Will Land at Adam's Wharf

The steamer Harding, which has been chartered by the commission men to run between this city and Sacramento river ports, will leave Portland, Oregon, next Monday.

The steamer was to have left some weeks ago, but owing to some necessary changes to comply with the law, her sailing was delayed. The voyage will occupy about a week and then the regular service will begin.

It has been decided that the landing place shall be at Adams' wharf, where appropriate sheds and offices will be built.

Market Quotations.

Corrected daily by Hull & Egan, grain and commission brokers May 28, 1897.

CHICAGO MARKET.

	Open	High.	Low.	Close
July Wheat.....	68½-⅝	69½-⅝	68¼-⅜	68⅞
July Corn.....	23⅝-¾	23⅝-¾	23½-⅝	23⅝
July Pork . . .	8 00	8 05	8 00	8 02

Puts 68½, Calls 69½-⅝, Curb, 69⅛.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Sugar	115⅝	115⅝	115⅛	115⅛

A SWITCH WAS OPEN.

Wreck of the Atlantic Express While Passing Through Colorado.

SEVERAL SEVERELY SHAKEN.

Mrs. Imogene Brown of Los Angeles Among the Injured.

A BRAKEMAN WAS TO BLAME.

But for the Brave Engineer Many Lives Would Be Lost.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, Col., May 28—A special to the Times from Glenwood Springs, Col., says An extra freight going west on the Denver and Rio Grande ran upon Cabeza siding this morning to allow No. 4, Passenger, Atlantic Express, to pass.

The switch was left open.

The first section of the passenger ran into the open switch, derailing the engine, mail and baggage cars and one passenger coach.

Engineer John West and Fireman Denny Donahay were instantly killed

The passengers were shaken up

Some had to be rescued through holes cut in the coach.

Some were bruised and cut, but it is thought none were seriously injured.

All the passengers on the wrecked section were brought to Glenwood on the second section.

Those requiring medical attention are:

Mrs Imogene Brown of Los Angeles, Cal; head cut, badly shocked.

Miss Porter of Maine, arm crushed, severe nervous shock

Mrs. S A. Ayers of Minneapolis, limb crushed, body bruised

Six year old son of Mrs. Nelker of Lincoln, Neb., gash in side of head

Mrs Sarah B Barrows, missionary from Moulmein, India, severe injury to spine and nervous prostration.

The blame for the accident seems to rest with the brakeman of the freight, who left the switch open

Engineer West, seeing the open switch, blew his whistle, reversed the engine and stuck to his post

But for his prompt action, many more would have been numbered among the dead.

The accident occurred at a dangerous point on the bank of the Grand river, where a little more momentum would have precipitated the entire train into the water.

"IN THE ARMS OF JESUS."

Impressive Funeral of the Little Daughter of Judge Wood.

Sympathising Friends Tender Their Condolence in Words and Flowers.

The funeral of the little daughter of Judge and Mrs Fred V. Wood, Mildred Verna, was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence on Thirtieth street.

Around the little white casket in the darkened parlor, the mourners gathered for a last look at the sweet, childish face.

From the back parlor came the soft, soothing strains of song, 'Safe in the Arms of Jesus," and then Rev Dr. Chapman read a passage from the second book of Samuel, and spoke with pathos in word and manner of the young life that had passed away

The quartette, composed of Harry Melvin John Sands and the Misses Sutherland, then sang "We Shall Meet Bye and Bye," and "Beyond the Weeping and the Smiling."

Many floral tributes had been sent in by sympathizing friends.

At the head of the casket was a beautiful pillow of white sweet peas and lilies, with the inscription "Golden Locks."

Mrs J B. Richardson sent a bouquet of sweet peas Mr and Mrs. Edward Holmes a wreath of the same flowers, the Misses Sutherland a bunch of roses, B L. Curtis white sweet peas, Fred S. Stratton white sweet peas, Miss Anna F. Brown pinks, Mr and Mrs G E. Randolph a wreath of sweet peas and roses. Four little friends of the dead child, Louise, Helen, Emma and Lou, sent white roses and sweet peas

The pall bearers were C. S. Sutherland, N S Douglass, Ira V. Copeland and H. S McFarlin.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs Armstrong, Mrs. H McFarlin, Mrs. Sands, Mrs A Shipley, Mrs Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clarence, Mr and Mrs. E. D Ivory, Miss Glass, Miss Harland, Miss Annie F. Brown, Mrs Teucher, J L Bromley, Mr and Mrs Mosca, Mrs Martin, Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. Lennard.

HOMES OF THEIR OWN.

Two teachers of the Cole School, Miss Nellie A. Wyckhoff and Mrs. J. N. Brower, have sent in their resignations to the Board of Education. Mrs. Brower has been teaching for a great many years and wishes to retire. She is not entitled to a pension.

Mrs. Wyckoff has an entirely different purpose in resigning. She is soon to be married. Two teachers from the Tompkins school an done from the Franklin school are also expected to give up their positions as school marms and assume the responsibilities of wives within the next few months.

SENATORS SUSPECTED

Intimation That They Are Interested in Sugar Stock.

AN INVESTIGATION SOUGHT.

Certain Members Deny the Charge With Great Warmth.

SEARLES' FATE IN ABEYANCE.

The Court Adjourns the Matter Until Tuesday Next.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 28—Senator Tillman introduced a resolution for the appointment of a special committee of five Senators to inquire into the reports of speculation in sugar stocks by Senators, and as to advance information by New York speculators as to the sugar schedule in the tariff bill, also to continue the investigation made in 1894.

The resolution recites that one man is serving a sentence in jail and another was yesterday acquitted on a technicality and provides for conducting the investigation so that all questions shall be pertinent.

Senator Frye, in the chair, promptly referred the resolution to the Committee on Contingent Expenses.

Tillman was allowed to speak on the subject by unanimous consent.

He said that the Democratic members of the Finance Committee were under a cloud on account of the sugar schedule of the tariff bill of 1894 The Republican members were now under suspicion One party was as deep in the mud as the other was in the mire.

Petters, Democrat, of Alabama, demanded that Tillman specify his charges, and stated that the whole Senate should not be subject to his sweeping assertions.

Tillman said that the present tariff bill was made in the rooms of the Arlington Hotel with close connection by telephone and telegraph with the sugar trust magnates

Tillman had numerous extracts read from a paper showing that the sugar trust had secured the schedules asked for in the new bill, also an extract from a paper making the charge that Senator Smith of New Jersey had been speculating in sugar.

Tillman closed with the declaration that the Senate should either prove the correspondents liars or prove the Senators corrupt, and then turn them out.

Aldrich replied to Tillman. He denied that any person connected with the sugar trust had anything to do with making the sugar schedule No person except Republican members of the committee knew anything about the sugar schedule except Senator Jones, to whom it was shown prior to being reported. He wanted to say for himself and for the other members of the committee that he had not bought or sold a share of sugar stock At the conclusion of Aldrich's remarks the tariff bill was taken up.

SEARLES ON TRIAL.

The Sugar Trust Secretary Faces a Court and Jury.

WASHINGTON, May 28—The trial of John E. Searles, secretary of the American Sugar Refining Company, followed that of President Havemeyer in Judge Bradley's Court today.

The indictment was very similar to one found against Havemeyer, except that the questions asked of Searles were somewhat different.

The same lawyers who appeared for Havemeyer had charge of Searle's defense.

Members of the Senate investigation committee and other distinguished persons were present.

District Attorney Davis asked that in the event of the trial not being concluded today, though he saw no reason why it should not be concluded, it be adjourned until Tuesday, owing to an important engagement of counsel for the defense.

Judge Bradley agreed.

None of the first twelve talesmen were challenged, but one was excused.

The deference of the defendant's counsel to the composition of the jury seemed to indicate confidence that the case would eventually be taken out of the hands of the jury as that of Havemeyer was.

At 11 40 o'clock A. M. the government rested its case.

The defense moved that the jury be instructed to bring in a verdict of acquittal on three grounds.

Opinion is unanimous about the court that Judge Bradley will take the case from the jury and order an acquittal.

DR. FEARN INSOLVENT.

The Result of a Legacy of Bills Left by a Runaway Wife.

John R. Fearn, the young doctor of that name is insolvent. He filed his petition to this effect today. He owes $985 90 and has $95 worth of personal property, as well as $75 worth, exempt from execution His creditors are: G H. Kriechbaum, $280; Mrs. Mary Dimmick, $35; Taft and Pennoger, $85.80; Sarah J. Fearn, $575 and John Hanly, $10.

J. P. AMES' ANSWER.

He Denies All the Charges of His Sister, Mrs. Harris.

A STORY ABOUT BONDS.

How They Came Into the Possession of the Defendant.

A GIFT OF THE PLAINTIFF.

Complex Relations Which Will Require Time to Unravel.

Josiah P Ames has filed an answer to the suit brought by his sister, Ann Harris, for an accounting of property claimed by the plaintiff to have been held in trust for her by the defendant.

The answer denies that the plaintiff was in failing health during the times mentioned in the complaint, but instead it is averred she was in full possession of her faculties and was an able business woman

The charges that Mrs Harris was under the influence and control of her brother at the time set forth, are also vigorously denied, while the assertion is made that the defendant never has acted as the agent for his sister at any time.

It is admitted that he did partially act as a special agent for her, but only with her consent, direction and approval

Referring to the bonds, which the complaint declares Mrs Harris is the owner of, though they are being held by Ames, the answer specifically denies the statement. The bonds in dispute are twenty-three interest-bearing ones of the denomination of $1,000 each in the Cincinnati, Richmond & Fort Wayne Railroad Company and twenty interest-bearing bonds of like denomination in the Ohio and West Virginia Railroad Company

Denials are made with respect to the allegation that Ames requested his sister to loan him the bonds so that he might temporarily pledge them as collateral security for some loans he desired to negotiate and then the answer positively denies that on March 1, 1891, or at any time, the defendant fraudulently and without right sold the bonds, but it is admitted Ames did sell the bonds before March 1st, for the sum of $48,500. This is claimed to have been done with the full knowledge of the plaintiff.

The answer continuing, denies the statement that Ames converted the proceeds of the sale or the interest due to his own use, fraudulently.

In reference to a written agreement between the two which forms a portion of the complaint, the defendant denies it was made at the demand of the plaintiff, who alleges she did not know the bonds had been sold at the time. The complaint declares this agreement was signed solely to deceive the plaintiff as to the disposition of the bonds, but the charge is refuted and it is alleged Mrs Harris, at the time well knew the bonds had been sold as well as the price paid for them

THE AGREEMENT DECIDED ON

The answer then goes on to state the circumstances the agreement was entered into. It says·

"In the latter part of the year 1894, the plaintiff became very much worried over the matter of inheritance tax and the expenses of administration of estates, of which she frequently read in the newspapers, and she finally determined, in part at least, to settle her affairs so as to avoid such expenses. One day she told defendant she had deeded to her brother, John Ames, all her houses and lots in Oakland, except two, which she named, reserving to herself the rents and income therefrom during her life and added:

"'I want to give you the bonds you hold, and the $22,350 due me from the firm, which I think is about the same, but not quite as much, as I have given him.'

"The defendant thereupon suggested that in January we settle up everything, to which she replied: 'Yes, let us settle up everything'

"Owing to the press of other business, the annual settlement of and for the business of 1894, between plaintiff and defendant was not made until in the month of February, but it was then and all matters of business of every nature and kind, between the plaintiff and defendant up to the 31st of December, 1894, were carefully examined and fully settled between the parties to the entire satisfaction of the plaintiff. Thereupon, on the 20th day of February, 1895, in accordance with plaintiff's own suggestion and desire, the two agreements, bearing date on that day were mutually executed by both said parties, for the accomplishment of the purposes named in the agreements, viz: to give defendant for his own use and benefit, the said bonds and the proceeds thereof and the claim against the defendant's firm for the sum of $22,350, securing to plaintiff, for her use and benefit during her life, the amount of interest which the said bonds and the said indebtedness bore, and the plaintiff then voluntarily endorsed and delivered to defendant the promissory notes for his said firm and the same were thereupon, in accordance with the terms of the second agreement, returned to her, to be held by her as collateral security for the payment of the interest which defendant had agreed to pay in."

MATTER OF CONSIDERATION.

The answer then denies that the agreements made without consideration and it is shown that monthly payments of $391.20 were made in cash up to June, 1896, when it was agreed that the interest should be paid semi-annually.

On September 30, 1896, a final settlement of all business matters between the two, is declared to have been made, when everything in the agreements was declared to be the sole property of Ames, an acknowledgement for which was signed by the plaintiff.

Ames also set up a counterclaim for $2,000 for services, and for advances made to Mrs. Harris, which were given after the action to recover the property had been commenced, in which she says she is satisfied her brother has been done a wrong and also giving instructions to her attorneys to dismiss the suit at once.

On the 1st of February, 1897, the attorneys for Mrs. Harris acted according to her instructions and it is claimed the suit was dismissed and so Ames declares this action was final.

However, the matter is still pending.

HE GOES TO THE WALL.

Lainer, the Photographer of San Francisco Is Insolvent.

Charles Lainer, the San Francisco photographer, has declared himself an insolvent. As he lives in this county, he consequently filed his petition with County Clerk Jordan.

It shows that he owes $16,428, while he has $12,150 worth of property, mortgaged for $6,225, leaving a residue of $6,925. There is $5,450 worth of property exempt from execution.

The principal creditors are: J. D. Wulsen, Alameda, $2,500; Joseph Dieves, $1,000; Oscar Foss, San Francisco, $1,500; Crocker-Woolworth Bank, $600; Richard Lainer, San Francisco, $500; Max Gumpel, Oakland, $2,600; Claus Spreckels, $225, Golden Rule Loan Association, $2,600; Bank of Alameda, $3,400; J. P. Donovan, $76.80; Hirsch & Kaiser, $43.23; J. J. Crooks, $110; Sanborn, Vail & Co., $146.69; Sloane & Co., $90.80, H. J. Shellcock, $124 56; L Franklin, $28.44; C. Schuett, $75.77; Richard Finking, $75; Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Co., $24. There are many more smaller amounts.

His assets consist of a homestead valued at $5,000 and other real estate worth $6,500, with $650 worth of personal property.

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YAGER—In this city, May 28, 1897, Pauline, beloved mother of Geo. L. Yager, a native of Germany, aged 72 years, 6 months and 12 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral SUNDAY, at 8:30 o'clock, from her late residence, 1011 Seventh street, thence to the Church of the Immaculate Conception, where a requiem high mass will be celebrated for the repose of her soul, commencing at 9 o'clock A. M. Interment, St. Mary's Cemetery.

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The third concert of the season by the Congregational orchestra drew a large house last evening at the church on Twelfth and Clay streets, though there was room for more than attended.

From a financial as well as an artistic standpoint the affair was a decided success. Denis O'Sullivan, of course, was the star attraction, and before his hearers would submit to his departure he was compelled to favor them with nine songs.

O'Sullivan has a fine voice, which was shown to advantage in his first two numbers. The other selections he gave were Irish ballads and while they were heartily appreciated, they did not give him a great opportunity to display the range or compass of his fine baritone.

Each of the little ballads made a hit, and twice was O'Sullivan obliged to reappear. He did so graciously and won hearty applause for his encore numbers.

The Congregational orchestra again proved its popularity and cleverness. William McCoy, the leader, has certainly trained the organization so that the members play with remarkable precision and ensemble for amateurs.

The first selection, an overture, "Pique Dame," was well executed. It gave the various instruments ample opportunity for good work, and the players made the most of it.

O'Sullivan followed with two songs, Beethoven's "La Partenza" and "Fischio, fischio," from Mefistofele. The reception which was given the singer was a flattering one, and at the conclusion of his numbers he received more than a generous outburst of applause.

Then the orchestra played Symphony VI, G major in three parts. The adagio molto was possibly the best, though the andante was good, barring a slight deficiency in ensemble. The allegro was the finale and it was well executed.

Part two of the programme opened with selections from "Les Huguenots," by the orchestra. This was one of the best numbers given. If any criticism was to be made, it would be in the nature of a reference to a super-abundance of horn over the violins. Otherwise, the number was first class in all respects.

Charles Parcells scored a hit with his violin solos. He was only down for one piece, "Souvenir de Moscow," but so acceptably did he play this that a hearty encore followed and the response was fully appreciated. Parcells has improved considerably since his last public appearance, though he has always been a favorite.

"Serenata Neapolitana" by the strings, flute, oboe and bassoon, next claimed attention, and then Denis O'Sullivan sang three Irish ballads in succession. They were "The Young May Moon," "When He Who Adores Thee," and "The Ould Plaid Shawl." The two first ones were very acceptable, but the last struck a popular chord and the audience demanded more. Another and another selection followed, each being received with the same enthusiasm and then the singer retired, though even yet the audience wanted to hear more. Many were disappointed in not hearing O'Sullivan in the "Irish Folk Song," which has become so popular of late. Though it is one of the best in his repertoire, it was not on the programme last night.

It is not so much O'Sullivan's voice that makes his ballads charming, but it is more in the execution, the phrasing and the shading. He could please with the ballads if he had no voice at all.

A concert waltz, "Beid Umschlungen; Millionen," by the orchestra concluded the programme. This is one of Strauss' late productions, and it had never been heard in California before. The piece flavors of Strauss all through it, very much on the same order as his other waltzes, though it was striking in some respects. The orchestra did good work and gave a very creditable interpretation of the piece.

In all this, the third concert, was an exceptionally good one, and while the leader and the orchestra receive the entitled praise, it is only right to give W. A. Fine, the successful manager, a share. To his executive ability and attention to the business affairs, much of the success is due, while his services as a member of the orchestra added materially to its strength.

The members of the orchestra who assisted last night were.

Violin—Mrs. Charlotte Gruenhagen-Gwynn, Miss Eda Blankart, Miss Gertrude Hibbard, Miss Mary Donaldson, Miss Ida Fox, Miss Susan De Fremery, Miss Jeanie L. Doane, Miss Gertrude Lougee, Miss Mabel Walker, Miss Zulie Hughes, Charles E. Parcells, Walter H. Leimert, Llewellyn Hughes, Arthur Cowan, Layton Hooper, Roland L. Oliver, Jos. H. Staider, Jr., Carl Creighton, Fred Gowing, William MacDonald.

Viola—Miss May Barrington, Eugene Colby, C. A. Gwynn.

'Cello—Miss Annie Barrington, Dr. Arthur Prentice.

Bass—A. S. Cantin, Alex. Berwick, John Cruft.

Flute—Dr. Henry M. Fine, Edwin L. Oliver, Edw. O. Allen.

Oboe—George C. Cushing, William L. Mason, D. E. Newell, Jr.

Clarionet—Edward Leach, Howard Baxter.

Bassoon—Gustav A. Hueter, William A. Fine.

Trumpets—Miss Lulu D. Wood, C. W. Crabtree, Ernest F. Webb.

Horn—George M. Flint, Chester A. Danly, W. H. Johnson.

Trombone—Miss Norma Reynolds, C. L. Beretta, R. H. Jordan.

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Daniel Sheerin extr Est Julia Cotter to Daniel Branthaver, N Brown or 34th st 276.8 E San Pablo av E 52 N 140.5 W 52 S 140.2½ to beg being lot 10 and ptn lot 11 Cotter tract, $1,500.

Adolph Meese to Freda Meese, E Cypress 131.4½ S W-10th S 23.7½ E 169.9, gift.

Emily S Pardee to George C Pardee, all int in following: 15 acres bded N by lands Pacific Impt Co and lands of Mrs. H C Carlton, E by San Pablo av, S by Grayson tract and W by Bay of S F; also NE Castro and Eleventh sts fronting 150 on both 11th and 12 sts by 200 on Castro st; also W Telegraph av 250 S 16th S 75 W 82.27 N 75 E 100 to beg; also certain parcel of land described in deed made by Jos Macdonough to E H Pardee dated Dec 10, '50, recorded in 420 d 372 and described as follows: lot F City Hall tract and lot 9 on Map of ptn lot E City Hall tract; also certain lot of land on San Pablo av fronting 32 by a depth of 100 as recorded, QCD, $10.

Elizabeth Hofneider to Thos Moran, W Milvia st 55.70 S Cedar st S 50xW 135 being lot 2 blk A, Eureka Hd subj to 2 mtges, $100.

V D Moody to H G Blasdel, lots 28, 29 and 30 blk 1, Blasdel tract, Map 2, QCD, $10.

H G and Sarah I Blasdel to First National Bank of Okd, Same, $10.

Mary A Becktel wf Frank K to Marie B B Junqua, N Lynde st 330 E Fruitvale av E 50xN 141, $1,200.

Caroline M Runkle to Katie Brady, NW Webster and Henry sts N 50 W 100 S 50 E to beg being lots 47 and 48 blk 29, Map of resub Townsite of Fitchburg fmly Fitchburg Hd lots, $10.

Antonio Joseph to Marie Ignacio Furtado, 1 acre beg at a pt in middle of San Leandro Creek on the NE side bridge of W P RR Co, th S along E side of land owned by said R R Co 814 ft to lds of Antonio Joseph, th N 504 ft to middle San Leandro Creek; th W 180 ft to beg; also 6¾ acres beg on SW bdry line town plat of San Leandro at stake 11.13 chs NW from the pt where the NW line Davis st intersects the said SW line thereof, th SW 4.63 chs NW 20.04 chs to stake on S bank of San Leandro Creek, th continuing the same course about 1 ch to middle San Leandro Creek, the E 14 chs to W cor of said Town Plat, th SE 11.35 chs to beg, excepting 1.83 acres conveyed to W P RR Co, Jan 14, '70, ptn Estudillo of San Leandro Ro, gift.

Same to Same, N Ramon st 225 W Alvarado st th NW to center San Leandro Creek th down center of said creek to its intersection with W bdry line of the original town of San Leandro, th SE to its intersection with Ramon st, th E 75 to beg; also 10 acres beg at NE cor 10 acre tract conveyed by Dennis Sullivan to Thomas Ind by deed of Dec 28, '66 th along N bdry line of said 10 acre tract SW 27 ft to its intersection with line of fence on E side C P RR Co's right of way th S along said fence to where it intersects the W line of original Town Plat of Town of San Leandro a distance of 142 th NW 130 to beg, gift.

Arthur H and Minnie E Ferrel to John Foster, W Henry st 150 S Railroad av S 27.2xW 125 being lot 14 blk 496, $10.

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LOST—A purse, on the Alameda electric car, on or near 23d ave., containing $15 in gold, latch key and some silver. Return to this office and receive reward.

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A Move Warmly Espoused by Public Spirited Citizens.

The cigar manufacturers held an enthusiastic meeting last evening at the cigar store of A. D. Dennis, at 1053 Broadway.

Much interest was manifested in the proposition to establish one large joint manufactory, with each present manufacturer a share holder in the concern. This proposition, as has been set forth in the Tribune, would furnish employment to between 200 and 300 cigar makers, whereas at present there are not more than twenty cigar makers employed in the city.

It was decided that the manufacturers would call upon the cigar makers at their meeting next Tuesday evening to see if the union would not take some action on the subject. If the makers seem to be favorable to the plan and will co-operate in the matter the manufacturers will confer with the liquor dealers. The object is to get all the liquor dealers to handle none but home made cigars.

Theodore Gier, president of the Liquor Dealers' Association will call a special meeting of that organization as soon as the manufacturers and cigar makers come to some sort of agreement, and there is every indication that the agitation of home industry will soon be under full headway.

A canvass of all the saloons in town has been made by a committee, composed of Messrs. Fibush, Kuersel and Gloy and they reported that the various saloon keepers were in full sympathy with the home industry movement and would, so far as possible, handle only white labor cigars, made in Oakland.

Mr. Kuersel reported that everything was going along nicely and he was sanguine that the day would come when the saloons would sell nothing but home made cigars.

Mr. Fibush said that all the trades should enter into the home industry movement for what applied to the manufactory of cigars applied also to the manufacture of everything else made in Oakland. Saloons, he said, depended upon the people for support and if they bought Oakland cigars they would put the money they received back into the channels from which it came.

Messrs. Anton and Horstman also had something to say on the question of white labor and home industry. It was suggested that if the saloons, the dealers and the manufacturers of cigars would co-operate there would be no trouble in inducing the general public to believe the truth—that the cigars manufactured in Oakland would compare favorably with the cigars made in any State in the Union.

The following statement from a circular sent out by the San Francisco cigar manufacturers was unanimously endorsed:

"We hold that our manufacturers have the same chance in the tobacco market as any manufacturer in the United States; that our mechanics are as good as any in any part of the United States; that our climate is better adopted for the manufacturing of cigars than any of the United States."

It was decided to hold a big meeting next Thursday evening when reports from the cigar makers and from the liquor dealers will be read. Some definite action will then be taken.

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FRIDAY..... MAY 28, 1897.

With so many anti-spitting ordinances the gay expectorator knoweth not what to expect next.

A story published in San Francisco papers yesterday was headed "A Dead Man's Millions." When did man commence to take things out of this world?

Alameda county should be well advertised during the next few weeks. There is the Memorial Day parade, the Fourth of July, Christian Endeavor Day and the centennial celebration at Mission San Jose.

Wealthy men often do more good quietly than they are credited with. It has just been learned that Claus Spreckels has established over one hundred families on land and that they now nearly own it through the profits derived from beet growing.

The Southern California Railway does not believe in submitting to dictation. The oil field men demanded a certain price for fuel, the railroad refused, and the deadlock was broken by the railroad people buying a few oil wells and supplying their own needs.

The Greeks can certainly outrun anything in the world when it comes to running away. A dispatch today from Lamia says: "A fresh panic prevails here. People are fleeing from the city and deserting their children." Even the coyote, the most cowardly of animals, will not desert its young.

Hanford is unhappy because the town has nothing to fight. It has a competing road, an opposition telegraph company, two ice companies cutting prices and a competing telephone line. The Democrat of that place begs of some one to establish a new monopoly down there so as to make things lively.

Chicago cannot hold up its hands in holy horror over the cannibalism in the South Seas. The story of the sausage maker of the Lake City who, it is believed, has disposed of his wife in his own vats is fully on a par with the tales of "roast missionary" that come wafting in from the tropics every now and then.

There is one man at least who is not unemployed. His name is Hacker, and the Fresno Republican says he is trying to prevent a railroad company from crossing his land, is trying to run affairs generally in his neighborhood, is keeping at bay deputy sheriffs, who want to arrest him and who declares that his only safety lies in keeping awake. This last assertion is doubtless true.

Here is another proof of the power of the press. A farmer of Clare County, Michigan, has found that he can increase the egg-laying abilities of his hens by feeding to them old newspapers torn to bits and soaked in sour milk until the whole becomes a pulp. The next experiment of interest will be to see whether they lay more eggs after eating Democratic or Republican newspapers.

The disgusted Popocrats are making bonfires of their recent campaign speeches in which they insisted that the low farm prices in this country were due to the treatment silver had received. The country rejected their proposition for the free and unlimited coinage of silver and, simultaneously with that action, prices of wheat, corn, hogs, cattle, and farm products of all sorts began to rise, and have steadily advanced while silver has steadily gone in the other direction.

A queer condition of affairs exists in Arizona. The last Legislature which prided itself on the absence of lawyers from its numbers, passed a new murder law which proves to be so badly drawn that it is impossible to hang anyone under its provisions. In order, therefore, to get rid of the murderers who are now in the territorial jails it is proposed to organize lynching clubs and systematically hang them by citizen organizations after the verdicts of guilty have been returned in the courts.

The Spanish newspapers either overestimate their own strength or else sadly underestimate ours. Here is a sample extract of an editorial cabled since the Morgan resolution passed the Senate: "Spain has sent 200,000 men to Cuba to settle a domestic difficulty. What would she not do in the event of a for-

THE STRIKE AT SAN QUENTIN.

The strike of the convicts at San Quentin, proves what has long been known in California—that our prisoners are not punished enough. Outside of being restrained from liberty the inmates of San Quentin have fully as good, if not a better time, than the majority of workingmen and the best proof that they have little fear of the penitentiary is shown by the frequency with which they return to it.

Those who have studied penology and in their investigations have visited other prisons throughout the country say that California treats her criminals far too well as compared with the methods of other States. In addition to being quartered at one of the most delightful retreats in California they are well housed, well fed, have little work and are subjected to such slight punishment that it is almost a farce. The reasons given by the strikers yesterday for refusing to work form the best evidence possible of the fact that they have too much of their own way. They struck because the cooks did not suit them and because they were not allowed to receive turkeys, fruits, cigars, etc., from the outside, and one of the conditions they made for returning to their duties was that they should be allowed to name those to be placed in charge of the kitchen.

This sort of thing is sheer nonsense and the Prison Directors and Warden Hale will receive the thanks of the community if they bring these unruly fellows to time. The bread-and-water diet on which the most active disturbers have been placed will soon bring them to their senses and such provision should be made in the future as will warn them that it will not be good policy to make another outbreak. It is in a way, a pity that the whipping-post has been abolished for the sting of the lash is one of the best means to subdue refractory convicts. Putting a ball-and-chain on them or inflicting the present simple punishments does not affect the hardened criminals at all and as they are dangerous not only on account of what they do themselves but by reason of the discord and trouble they foment among the others it is apparent that extreme measures are necessary as far as they are concerned.

Prison Director Fitzgerald in another column of the Tribune today gives expression to some sensible ideas on the subject. His practical experience with our penitentiaries has convinced him that the present corrective system is woefully inadequate and he advocates the methods pursued in Australia, where the prisoners are graded and only promoted on good behavior. Prison life is always ushered in there by passing the first few months in solitary confinement with a frugal diet and lots of hard work to keep it company. If the prisoner proves refractory he remains in that class until his conduct becomes satisfactory, after which he is promoted to where he gets better food, a more comfortable cell and easier work. Any infraction of the rules is immediately followed by a return to another six months' term in the first grade and with this hanging over their heads it is seldom that any of the prisoners fall by the wayside.

The present trouble at San Quentin must only end one way—in the through subjugation of the prisoners, no matter what means may have to be used to effect it. They should get the lesson and as severely as possible that they are outcasts and felons and that instead of having the privilege of dictating how they shall be treated they are within the power of the law and must abide by its regulations.

The members of the Arizona Legislature must have very tough records and don't like seeing them in print. That is the only conclusion that can be reached after reading the following item in today's Chronicle: "At Phoenix, A. T., the Assembly listened to the first, second, and third reading of a bill introduced by the Speaker, making the publication and editing of newspapers in the Territory a felony and passed it in fifteen minutes."

Asiatics have had a taste of American flour and they like it. They bought a million barrels of our flour last year and will buy a good deal more in the future if the proposed duty on tea is adopted, thus giving an opportunity for reciprocity treaties with that part of the world by which our farm products will get special advantages in those markets.

If the eagle Senator Denison sent to McKinley had the ability of a homing pigeon it could now come back to its native crags in California. McKinley presented it to the public park at Canton but the authorities there have discovered that the laws of Ohio prohibit keeping eagles in captivity so it is to be set free.

President McKinley is said to be figuring on appointing General Harrison as Minister to Spain. In view of the threatened complications with that country the selection of as able a diplomat and as representative an American as the Ex-President would be a good move.

Alameda county can afford to follow the example of Riverside. Fruit growers of the southern county met in convention last Saturday and decided that a fruit exchange is necessary to maintain prices. As they have tried both plans, their advice is at least practical.

A GARDEN FETE.

The social event of the week will be the garden party at the home of Mrs. F. M. Smith tomorrow afternoon for the benefit of the Central Free Kindergarten. The arrangements for the affair are most elaborate. Homeier's band will furnish music during the afternoon. Mrs. Smith will be assisted in receiving by the following ladies: Mrs. F. D. Browne, president of the

OUT IN THE WORLD.

High School Days Have Closed for the Class of '97.

FAREWELL TO VEXING STUDIES.

Prof. Anderson's Address on the Books Worthy of Reading.

HOW TO REACH THE CLASSICS.

A List of the Graduates and How They Received Friends.

The class of June, '97 of the High school passed into history last night with banners flying. Seventy-three young people then received the auspicious-looking rolls which testify to the happy conclusion of the High school course, and entitle them to become "eds" and "co-eds."

The address of the evening was preceded by a piano solo, charmingly rendered by Miss Hattie Hershberg.

Prof. Anderson, head of the English department at Stanford was then introduced.

The speaker opened his remarks with an allusion to the beautiful sunset he had seen in coming from San Francisco to Oakland. "I wished I could put it into words," he said, "but that is the task of the poet. The poet interprets the world for us.

"The greater part of education," he continued, "is gained outside of school. That fineness of the eye and concentration of mind is, may be, the principal part of education. We people of books, should have a due measure of humanity when we come in contact with the great captains of industry."

The speaker went on to show the difference between literature and printed matter.

"We must, in our definition of the term, exclude the greater part of the books written to amuse and please, and all technical works, until finally we arrive at a very small body of books called the classics. And these are what we need for culture.

"Literature is an art. It is the most important, perhaps, of all arts. If art is to have any function on culture it must be through printed books.

"There is a central art in literature, and that art is called poetry. The works of a man like Ruskin may, for my purpose, if you please, be included under poetry. Holmes is often more poetic in his essays—'The Autocrat at the Breakfast Table'—than in his poems—'The One Horse Shay,' for instance.

"Books, to be sure, are not the only means of human knowledge. But books contain the results of the study of man, nature and society. I think that everybody, no matter how busy he or she is, can certainly afford half an hour a day for reading with the aim of finding out the best which has been written."

At the conclusion of the address Miss Winifred Morgan played a violin solo with her usual excellence. Miss Eda Beronio accompanied her. Then came the climax of the evening's events, the presentation of the diplomas by Dr. J. H. Todd, president of the Board of Education.

The class then received its friends in the library and lower hall. Congratulations came in showers, as well for the happy significance of the occasion as the splendid appearance of the young people on the platform.

The graduates are as follows:

Edith Lillian Adams, Edgar William Alexander, Charles Edmund Anderson, Walter Burling Bakewell, Grace Beekman, Eda Beronio, Georgiana May Black, Ethel Beaver Catton, Newell Day Chamberlain, Alfred Joseph Champreux, Henry Chase, Thorington Clark Chase, Alice Worcester Coffin, Stanly Coghill, Helen Elisabeth Cooper, Claire Moore Converse, Frederick Edmond Cooley, Clarence La Vallen Creed, Estelle Duncan, John Jewett Earle, Elizabeth Eby, Ralph Talcott Fisher, Walter Nettleton Frickstad, Leland Gale, Grace Hatherly Gorrill, Lulu Graff, Laurence Lincoln Greene, Nellie Stiles Gross, David McClure Gregory, Melvin Scribner Griffiths, Richard Harvey, Harriet Hersberg, Ruth Marian Higby, Grace Myrtle Hostetter, Jean Howard, Olin Hunter, Selma Johnson, Alexander Simpson Kelly, Wintrop Leicester Keep, Katherine Louisa Kavanagh, Edwin Ralp Leach, Anita Elise Lohse, Jean Louis Lohse, Ethel Genevieve Marston, Fred McMath, Henry de Fountenay Mel, Helen Louise Martin, Winifred June Morgan, Dan Hazen Moulton, Rozelle Nicholson, William Orrick, Ida Pierce, Florence Mabel Preble, Edith Rennie, Edna Francis Reynolds, Grace Robinson, Effie Shull, Elizabeth Mitchell Scupham, George Arthur Sherman, Gertrude Warner Snow, William Stewart, Emma Regina Stoer, Joshua Maxwell Taft, Irene Taylor, Beatrice Vrooman, Lizzie White, Madeline Weil, Zena West, Lawrence Holly Westdahl, Tracy Williams, Roy Yates.

ALASKAN ABSENTEEISM.

The Alaska Miner says:

How little the absentee directors and stockholders in our numerous mining companies know of the vexations and complicated problems which have to be solved between the time of purchasing a mine and producing bullion from it. It is such an easy matter to sit in a cosy office and order a new mill, and then wonder why it is not in running order, but it is another thing to move heavy machinery even a comparatively short distance from the beach, for each company has to build its own roads. We never had any assistance from the Government in this respect, and this apathy and want of consideration is responsible for the inactivity of many mining propositions which would otherwise be worked. The amount of money spent annually in building roads to mines in Alaska is something enormous, and represents a large proportion of the capital neces-

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to provide a country as productive as this is with the means of reaching the different mining districts. Thousands of dollars are spent annually in constructing roads which are a benefit to the community at large, and which are open to general use, but the expense of building and maintaining them falls on a few. We labor under disadvantages in Alaska which could be remedied, and consequently it consumes more money and takes more time to get a new company in permanent working order, but when this result is reached the production is steady and increasing. Such has been our experience. We say to investors, exercise patience, familiarize yourselves with some of our difficulties, give us encouragement, not censure, and in due time the results hoped for will ultimately be attained.

TWENTY-ONE LEAVE.

The Graduating Class of the American School of Medicine.

Metropolitan Temple was beautifully decorated, and filled to overflowing with the friends of the graduating class of '97 of the California Medical College. Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. A. J. Wells, who also delivered the opening address by H. B. Mehrmann, M. D., explaining that these graduates were fully instructed in the homeopathic and allopathic systems of medicine, enabling them to practice or consult with the graduates of any school. The exercises were enlivened by the singing of the California Quartette and solos by Miss Shipley and Miss Gilligan. The following are the names of those who graduated:

Samuel G. Bransford, M. Blanche Bolton, John Albert Born, Annie Laurie Bond, George Waldo Bryant, Robert Alexander Cranston, Herschel Eugene Currey, M. D., Loftus Harley Francis, Hugo Wilhelm Fuchs, Charles Francis Gladding, James William Hammond, Edwin Ernest Hicks, Thomas Ingles Janes, M. D., Eugene Theodoric Lemieux, Thomas Omar McSwain, Manuel Silveria da Silva, R. Frances Scott, Charles Martin Troppman, Ph. G., Almer Fletcher Veale, Edwin Lee Roy Wallace, Charles Harper Walworth.

The professors and graduates wore mortar boards and gowns.

MEN OF THE HOUR.

In the French Parliament is a deputy, M. Vuilod, who used to maintain himself as the "human cannon" in a Paris circus. He is a Socialist.

Probably the costliest memorial ever erected to commemorate a horse has been ordered by August Belmont. The statue will be of Henry of Navarre and will cost $5,000.

Former Senator Fred Dubois will return to the pursuit of his young manhood—herding cattle. He will begin with 300 head.

The oldest living graduate of West Point is Gen. George S. Greene, who is now past 96. He was a lieutenant in the Mexican war, and, at the age of 64, served in the Civil War. Gen. Green was wounded in the jaw at Lookout Mountain.

Henry Marion Howe of Boston, recently appointed professor of metallurgy in Columbia College, is the son of Julia Ward Howe and a cousin of F. Marion Crawford, the novelist.

It is said that poverty has overtaken Gen. Benjamin Prentiss, the "hero of Shiloh," who was at one time one of the wealthiest men in Illinois. General Prentiss refused to accept any office from President Harrison except the postmastership of Bethany, Mo., a position which he has filled many years.

She Holds the Fort.

"When I was down at Shotville on my last trip," tells the drummer, "excitement was at fever heat. It's a place where a shooting scrape cuts but little figure and funerals have ceased to attract attention except when the deceased has died from natural causes. What would be a sensation in most places is accepted there as a matter of course.

"In this case the disturbing cause was a woman postmaster. She was an innovation such as had not happened within the memory of the oldest inhabitant. I saw her; a grim widow with eyes that look fearlessly about her and a voice indicative of such courage as it is difficult to shake. She would never fit a novel with any credit to the clinging disposition and loveliness of her sex.

"The rough men of this place are chivalrous, but this woman breaks up the routine of their existence. It is no longer in order to shoot through the window to attract the attention of the postmaster. If refused trust for a postage stamp there is no rule that will permit calling her out or disposing of her while the insult is yet warm and rankling. When she snaps out that 'Thar's nawthin' fur ye,' it is not permissible to call her a liar or to tell her how all of her family have been unreliable and shiftless. If she tells you to call again when she's not so busy, it is necessary to get out of

THE EPWORTH LEAGUE.

An Evening at Home at the Chester Street M. E. Church.

A Sketch of the Society From the Inception Till the Present.

The parlors of the Chester street M. E. Church were lovely last evening by reason of beautiful flowers and smiling faces.

The Epworth League gave an "at home" to the membership of the church. The guests were received at the outer door by members of the reception committee and by them passed to others at the library room and thence to the cloak room and thence to the parlors. After singing "Blest Be the Tie" and prayer by the pastor, Miss Hunter, president of the League, announced the following programme: "Calvary," a vocal solo, by Miss Lottie White, which received merited applause.

"Them Dickens Book" was read by Mrs. Kate Johnson, to the delight of all present.

Miss Linnie Scott recited "The W. C. T. U. at Baniker's Saloon" in her pleasant and effective manner.

Robert Robertson sang "My Ain Country" in his inimitable way, then, in answer to a recall, "Yere Ain Fireside," followed by "My Mither's Taws" in response to the second encore.

The guests were then conducted to the south room, which had been fitted up as a banquet room. After refreshments the evening was spent socially.

Such royal welcome and hearty cheer is not often given.

From the sketch of the church's history, read by Dr. F. Clozie, the following is selected:

The first services were held in the tank house, situated on a vacant lot between Pine, Wood, Taylor and Eighth streets, in 1875. Sunday School numbered fifteen, and twenty persons attended the first preaching service, Rev. J. H. Wythe, Jr., was the pastor. Within a year the church edifice was built on Campbell street, near Taylor, costing $2,500. A larger house was erected on the same site in 1877.

This property was sold and the present structure on the corner of Chester and Ninth, erected in 1888. The membership now numbers over 160 persons, the Sunday School numbers 360.

The Epworth League has a membership of 69 and the two departments of the Junior League over 100.

The current expenses for the year are all paid excepting $100, this owing to the absence of the pastor, caused by an accident.

TONIGHT'S CONCERT.

Sweet Sounds to Charm People in the City Hall Park.

The following is the programme which will be rendered by the Second Regiment band in the City Hall park tonight.

March, "Iron King".....St. Clair
Overture, "From Dawn to Twilight"
.....Bennett
Concert Waltz, "Auf Wiedersehn"
.....Bailey
"Miserere," from "Il Trovatore".....
(Duet for cornet and trombone, Messrs Lercher and Valerga.)
Patrol, "American" .....Meacham
March, "Tannhauser" .....Wagner
Selection, "Robin Hood".....De Koven
Song and Dance .....Hall
Minuet .....Bochernin
Overture, "A Gay Old Time"....Beyer
(Introducing the latest popular Songs.)

The musical director is D. P. Macdonald.

VARIETIES.

The Oregon salmon canneries employ many Indians.

Lamartine's manuscripts of his poems have been handed over to the Paris National Library by M. Emile Olivier, as the literary executor of Mlle. Valentine de Lamartine.

Yeast—Isn't old Cragin a double dyed villain?

Crimsonbeak—Yes, a regular whited sepulchre.—Yonkers Statesman.

Hartford, Conn., now claims to have not only the best system of electrical supply in the country, but the best and most perfect electric railway in the world.

Hans Delbruck, editor of the Preussische Jahrbuecher, has been appointed to the chair of history in Berlin University held by the late Heinrich von Treitschke.

At a recent meeting of the Methodist Board of the Freedmen's Aid Society, the Rev. C. M. Melden of Brockton, Mass., was elected president of Clark University of Atlanta.

In consequence of the increasing distress and poverty in Spain, the migration has increased enormously within a few months. Most of it, however, is by way of the French and Portuguese harbors.

France has a dialect society, the Societe des Parlers de France, whose president is M. Gaston Paris of the Academie Francaise, which is collecting legends and songs in all parts of France by means of of the phonograph.

The Rev. Robert Radclyffe Dolling of Portsmouth, England, will soon arrive in this country in order to make a preaching tour of three months. He is an extreme ritualist and several English bishops have refused to give him a license to preach.

The Rev. Dr. David S. Schaff of Jacksonville, Ill., who has been called to the chair of ancient history in Lane Theological Seminary, Cincinnati, is known as the father of Rugby football in America. He was the captain of the first Yale football team when it played its match with Columbia in 1872, the first intercollegiate football game in this country.

The clergy of Russia is divided into two classes—the white or village clergy, who must all be married, and the black clergy, or monks, who are vowed to celibacy. The higher dignitaries of the church are invariably chosen from this last class. The great majority of them have no particular duties to perform, and a movement is on foot for utilizing them as assistants to parish priests in villages.

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having been on the following dates: Mrs. Abbott, December 6, 1803; Mrs. Newhall, September 22, 1806, and Miss Gray, November 23, 1807. Their mother, Mrs. Elizabeth (Endicott) Gray, lived to be 100 years and 27 days old.

English papers generally refer to American bishops as Lord Bishops. Some years ago a man from North Dakota read in a Saturday paper in London that the Lord Bishop of North Dakota would preach the next day in St. Paul's Cathedral. "Thunder and lightning!" he exclaimed, "what is a Lord Bishop of North Dakota?" and he made up his mind to solve the mystery by attending the service. On returning to his hotel at noon he explained to his friends that "the Lord Bishop of North Dakota" was nobody but "long Will Walker, who used to run a church down at Deadwood."—New York Tribune.

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A party is now being formed to make the tour of the Yellowstone Park, leaving here the 29th of May. It will be in charge of Dr. J. C. Branner of Stanford University. Rates will be very reasonable and accommodations first class. The Yellowstone Park can justly lay claim to having more natural wonders and magnificent scenery within its bounds than any other spot in the world, and a trip there is one that will never be forgotten. If you would like to join the party, communicate at once with J. E. McDowell, Stanford University, or T. K. Stateler, Gen. Agt. Northern Pacific Ry., 638 Market St., S. F.

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THIRTY-FIRST Grand Annual Gathering and Games of the Caledonian Club, Shell Mound Park, Saturday, May 29th. The best athletes in the world will compete for the many valuable prizes with the usual spirit of rivalry. The hospitalities of the club will be offered to its guests in the Byrne Cottage to be erected on the grounds especially for this occasion. The net proceeds of the day will be devoted to the erection of a monument to Robert Burns in Golden Gate Park. This event will be the grandest in the history of the club. The latch-string will be on the outside of the door. All are invited. Admission, adults 50 cents, children 25 cents.

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Leaves Seventh & Washington Sts. at 12:25 p. m.
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Leaves Seventh & Washington Sts. at 12:45 p. m.
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Leaves Haywards Park at ..... 3:30 p. m.
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Excursion tickets are good on excursion trains only on the day purchased. Children's excursion tickets are good on Saturday afternoon excursion trains only and on the day purchased.

Concert Music in Haywards Park

Every Saturday afternoon and evening from 12 to 10. Every Sunday afternoon and evening from 10 to 10.

The Club House in the Park is in charge of Mrs. Hayward and Garretson.

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At 2 P. M. at Salesroom.

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We secured property that must be sold.

Webster Street Business Corner

Southwest corner 10th and Webster sts.; in three lots 25x75 each; appraised $3,250, $2,000 and $1,250 each; one lot having small cottage 5 rooms. By order B. McFadden, executor Mary Waters estate. Terms cash. Must be sold.

Elegant Linden Street Residence

No. 1127 Linden st., sunny side, near 14th st., lot 40x107; fine modern two story residence 9 rooms, 2 mantles, gas fixtures, etc.; tenant's lease just expired at $40 per month; constructed for a home; must be sold; bank mortgage, $4,000, at 5 per cent, can run, balance cash.

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Northeast corner Center and 12th sts.; lot 29½x105; two story building, store and upper flat 5 rooms, long established business location. Terms one-third cash.

Fine Modern Cottage

No. 986—19th st., sunny side near West, lot 35x100; beautiful Eastlake style, 6 rooms and bath complete and in first class order; central location; new bank loan $1,800, balance cash.

Telegraph Avenue Lot

East side Telegraph ave., opposite 36th st.; size 40x110; immediately adjoins city limits, city advantages; electric light; bituminized street; electric cars; no city taxes. Terms one-half cash.

Two Lots Corner Fourteenth St.

Northwest corner 14th and Cypress sts., opposite Contra Costa Laundry; corner 30x104; inside lot 30x104; good location for store; cottages, stores or flats will find steady tenants. Terms one-third cash.

Two Choice Berkeley Lots

North side Russell st. 120 feet west of Shattuck ave.; each lot 40x122, only one block to Ashby ave. local station; must be sold; see them. One-half cash.

East Oakland Cottage

No. 622 East 15th st., bet. 12th and 13th aves.; lot 30x120 with 15 foot alley; bay window cottage 3 rooms and bath, brick foundation, stable; 8th and Broadway cars pass property; 4 blocks to local trains, orders to sell, assignee's sale; bank mortgage $1,000, balance cash.

Highland Park, E. O., Residence

North side Hopkins st., half block east of 12th ave.; lot 43x100; two story house 7 rooms and bath; modern; owner non-resident; must sell, mortgage $1,000, balance cash.

Neat Cottage, Oak Street Station

No. 102—4th st. bet. Madison and Oak; lot 25x75; cottage 5 rooms and bath and stable. Terms one-half cash.

Chester Street Residence

No. 913 Chester bet. 8th and 9th sts.; two story house 6 rooms and bath, lot 41x122; appraised $2,500; must be sold by order B. McFadden, executor Patrick Scully estate. Terms cash.

Five Highland Park Lots

Lots 25x100 each, double frontage; Hopkins st. and Clinton st., half block east of 12th ave., fenced; fruit trees; barn; brick foundation for house; well and city water; assessed value $150 each. Terms, 10 per cent cash, balance to suit.

S. E. Corner of 3rd & Madison Sts.,

50 ft. on Madison by 100 ft. on 3rd. Terms: Bank mortgage of $700, at 5 per cent, can remain; balance cash. Street work, including cement sidewalks, all done.

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Nothing Can Detract From the Fame of the Honored Dead.

Exercises commemorative of a great and good man, Abraham Lincoln, are being held today, not only in this city but in every village in the county

The rising generation have had a stirring lesson of Lincoln preached to them today.

War veterans who met Lincoln during the troubled times of conflict have recalled the memories of those times, and have given them as a precious legacy to the younger generation

The widespread observance of Lincoln Day is due largely to the efforts of the Lincoln Monument League, who have urged that some steps be taken to commemorate the day

Every school in this city has arranged exercises for today and County Superintendent of Schools Garlick has arranged for the county schools to celebrate

The exercises planned by Mr Garlick consist of the singing of patriotic songs recitations, declamations and selections from Lincoln's speech, essays and addresses

Oakland pupils participated in the exercises as outlined in yesterday's Tribune At all of these exercises there was present a member of the Grand Army, thus establishing a link between the present generation and the youth of the country at the time the great man whose memory is recalled did for the Union

AT THE HIGH SCHOOL.

At 10 o'clock this morning the pupils of the High School filed into the big gymnasium to participate in the observance of Lincoln Day.

A large bust of the hero draped with the national flag, occupied a prominent position on the platform

Principal McChesney made a few appropriate remarks

"We are gathered here" he said, "for the observance of a name with which you are all familiar See if, while you participate in the exercises this morning, you can determine exactly why a whole nation should observe this day Since it is so, there must be some substantial reason for it"

A very fine paper on "The Rise of Abraham Lincoln" was creditably rendered by Miss Mabel Robinson, which was followed by another paper on "Lincoln as a Statesman," written by Robert Ritchie and read by Miss Edith Evans

It was well prepared and carefully delivered by the reader

"Lincoln's Oration at Gettysburg" was given by Howard Atwater with force and feeling

Music followed, and then "Some of Lincoln's Anecdotes," "Lincoln's Second Inaugural," by George Harding; music, "Abraham Lincoln" a poem, by Annie Hussey, and remarks by Major Scupham

In his talk, the Major spoke of the time when he (the speaker) was attending the Chicago High school Lincoln's greatness was first discovered, and the way in which he became prominent before the people by his great debates, which really formed the turning point in his career He described in graphic manner the exciting scenes at the great Republican convention at the Wigwam in Chicago, in 1860, at the time of Lincoln's nomination

"America" joined in by all, concluded the exercises.

At the Central School

The exercises at the Central School were divided, the low ninths holding the morning celebration and the high ninths conducted the afternoon exercises

The morning programme opened with a song by the class under the direction of Miss Brown

J G Lemmon delivered an interesting address on Lincoln, a synopsis of which is as follows

"President Lincoln was a most remarkable man in many respects, a simple-minded straightforward, country-bred citizen a hard student reading but few books but those of the best grade, becoming in turn an honest, capable merchant, a keen, logical debater and a trusted successful lawyer He naturally entered politics at an early age and we find him at once forging to the front in his adopted State of Illinois, from which he was sent to Congress All the while he was an honest, faithful man in every station, yet owing to his tall form—six feet four inches—without corresponding breadth of trunk and limbs, he was exceedingly awkward, which made him shy, retired and often diffident in the company of others"

After a brief account of Lincoln's early successes and his final rise to the highest executive position in the land, the speaker continued:

"I will not attempt to follow the history of Lincoln further or depict the noble traits of his character, but will try to present an incident of prison life to prove how deeply his words and acts had effected Union soldiers and how they loved him, as expressed by their vote at the Presidential election in Florence prison

"At the outset let it be borne in mind that in many respects Florence was worse than Andersonville prison, though it was not so large It was a log pen of unhewn pine trunks thirty feet long set on end and let into the ground six feet, placed close together and pinned to a tie-log near the top on the outside A deep ditch was excavated outside of this log wall to prevent tunnelling by the prisoners and the earth was thrown up against the logs to form a path for the guards to walk upon just high enough to bring their waists to the top of the wall enabling them to shoot over The 'dead line' over which no person might stretch a hand or foot in safety was marked by a shallow furrow eighteen feet within the pen all around

As the Presidential election approached November 5, 1864, the rebel officers became intensely excited and many a hot discussion ensued between the prisoners and their keepers It will be remembered that the timidity and slowness of Gen McClellan, his pleas for more time and more soldiers, his criticisms of other commanders and implied censure of President Lincoln had won for him the esteem of the old-time Democracy and also the Copperheads developed during the progress of the war and he was nominated for the Presidency, while the old-time Abolitionists, the regular Republicans and the converted Democrats unanimously demanded the re-election of tried and true Lincoln

'Of course McClellan was liked by the rebels, and they sounded his praises as the greatest general of the age and an honest man recognizing the strength and right of the South and its claims to independence, etc 'If Little Mac is elected they declared, 'peace will soon follow, and right after it the recognition of the Southern Confederacy'

FUN FOR THE KEEPERS.

'The keepers delighted in taunting us with the evidence, greatly exaggerated by them, no doubt, of dissensions and opposition at the North They quoted Stanton's heartless neglect of starving prisoners, whom he declared must take the chances of war including rebel torture in prison, and they maintained that there were more voters in the stockade in favor of McClelain than Lincoln.

"In an evil hour, as it proved for the rebel officers, they proposed that a vote of the prisoners be taken on election day The offer was eagerly accepted by the eleven Union sergeants in charge of the respective detachments—a thousand in each

"Sergeant Kemp of Connecticut was selected to notify and prepare the camp for the election Two sacks of beans—one of black and the other of white beans—were placed under guard near the big gate and a box placed at hand to receive the bean ballots

"The thousands were formed as well as possible in two ranks those able to stand often helping a feeble one to his feet, others hopelessly crippled crawling along on all fours They were told distinctly that white beans were to be voted for McClellan, black ones for Lincoln, the black abolitionist Beginning early in the forenoon, the thousands in their order moved slowly out of their section in the enclosure and passed by the open bean bags and to the ballot box at the gate From the opening of the polls the rebel officers appealed occasionally and harangued the crowd, and they allowed several bounty jumpers to go outside one at a time get a good square meal then mount the cross from over the gate and address the crowd gathered near It appears nearly all the prisoners hobbled along in some way to the big gate and selected their beans—not to munch and swallow them out of hand—but to use as a ballot It was not long before the keepers, frequently inspecting the ballot box, came to the conclusion that McClellan was not keeping up with his opponent, and some of them demanded that the voting should cease but the sergeants of the thousands claimed in chorus 'You told us we were mostly McClellanites and you have proposed to prove it Perhaps the Lincoln haters have not yet voted In all fairness you ought to let the voting proceed' So that line of quiet, panting, staggering firm-featured patriots kept on selecting their bean ballots till all had voted

The officers commenced to count the mass in the ballot box was decidedly dark Often a handful of beans would have but one white one in it, and the officers soon neglected the black ones and only counted the white They reported 1,600 or 1 700 McClellan votes in a total of nearly 11,000

THE FUNERAL.

The speaker gave a most interesting description of Lincoln's funeral. He said "My last military act in the late war is a resplendent yet tearful remembrance It was my mournful privilege—accorded to millions in the long procession from Washington to Springfield—to stand beside the bier and drop scalding tears upon the glass-covered face of our martyred Lincoln as he was borne through Columbus, Ohio, on the way to his beloved home in the West The spacious streets of the city arched with elaborate floral designs, the palatial residences and imposing business blocks literally clothed with sombre crepe the eager thousands pouring in from surrounding towns, the splendid military and civic preparations, the heavy minute guns booming from the corners of the capitol square, the plaintive dirges performed by 900 German musicians, the gorgeous decorations of the majestic capitol building the slow moving, weeping procession of 40,000 persons the richly attired body guard of Knights Templar the six beautiful milk-white horses, the magnificent catafalque, the brilliant silken canopy, the festooned symbols of mourning, the long, richly trimmed burial case emblazoned on each side by one word, 'Lincoln'—never, no, never, can these be forgotten

"The paroled Union prisoners, provided with easy carriages, were allowed a near place in the procession to him we loved none the less but all the more because to our faces month after month traitors and copperheads had daily heaped abuses and obloquy upon his revered name After parading eight or ten miles of the principal streets, the procession approached the capitol and the coffin was placed upon an elevated dais under the wide rotunda of the building and the upper part of the lid removed so as to reveal the dear, rigid familiar face of the slain President to the hasty glance of each person in the vast concourse

"I shall never forget the details of this supremely impressive scene. Around, rank upon rank, stood the black-helmeted Templars, next within were the dignitaries of the Nation and State At the foot of the coffin stood a costly vase, an exquisite immortelle, two feet high, its blood-red, transparent leaves and branches bending as if dripping with gore, symbolic of the sanguinary death of the good President.

"At the head sternly erect and martial in every pose stood Gen. Joe Hooker remaining a last sweet and holy memory of the passing of a martyred hero—ever to be commemorated by American citizens—Abraham Lincoln

"I said this pathetic funeral dirge was a last memory of Lincoln No, there is another that must outlast all others—the memory of that large rugged, strong face upturned in the long black coffin, and with it comes to mind that prophetic sentence pronounced by Lincoln at a dark moment in the terrible attack on our republic 'Menaced by the slave power I have been, broken by it I may be but surrender to it, I never will'"

After the class sang Tramp, Tramp the Boys Are Marching" Judge E M Gibson delivered an address in which he gave a most interesting account of Lincoln's campaign prior to his Presidential election He also spoke of the many endearing personal qualities of the man

The children gave several quotations from Lincoln's addresses and then the exercises closed with the singing of 'America

AFTERNOON EXERCISES

The high ninths held their exercises during the afternoon when Judge E M Gibson delivered an eloquent address teeming with praises of Abraham Lincoln as a statesman and a patriot as well as a great and good man

The graduating class then presented to the school an excellent portrait of Abraham Lincoln

Diplomas of graduation permitting the pupils to receive admittance into the High School were then presented by Principal Fisher to the following

Grace Frida Tregent, Harry Myers, Thomas Fred Wilson, Irene Gertrude Walker Edmund J Blowski, Maude H Gathorn Rudolph Schilling, Susie E Caig Lulu Moulton Ava Mabel Lucas, James Robert Westdahl Hazel McGraw Albert Manson Meads, Agnes Margaret Sullivan Laura May McFarling Luther K Rabe Grace Edwards, Thomas Edw McGovern, Hazel Osborn Thomas Benjamin Matteson, Walter Stalder, Edna Amanda Price, Richard Atherton Snell, Ethel Mayon, Olve Ivy McCoon, Agnes M Grotheer, Jeanette D Dozier Lauren S Fish, Alexander Gilbert, Emil Bendel, Edith May Boyd John P Fieberling Elizabeth M Folsom Alice Edith Graham, S Pearl Baker, Walter Ball and Lloyd Edgar Ivory

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W. C. T. U.

The Alameda County Union's Elect New Boards of Officers.

The annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Alameda has come to a close The closing session held in the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church, was attended by twenty-five delegates representing ten local unions and 234 members

The officers for the ensuing year are as follows President Mrs R R Johnson vice-president-at-large, Mrs J H Rhodes first vice-president, president Alameda City Union, second vice-president, president Oakland City Union, recording secretary, Miss Belle Jewell; corresponding secretary, Mrs E G Snow, treasurer Mrs L P Cutting, auditor, Mrs Brock.

The following ladies were selected as heads of the various departments

Evangelistic Mrs M M McClees; franchise Miss A M Thompson, social purity Dr Anna Miller, family culture Mrs P H Rodgers, finance, Mrs. Cleveland, parliamentary usage, Mrs. S C Borland, Ensign and Union Signal, Mrs Fannie Wood, literature, Mrs M Crase, scientific temperance instruction Miss McPalmer, parlor meetings Mrs J H Rhodes, press, Mrs A E S Bangs, Sabbath observance, Mrs Edwin Fish law enforcements, Mrs S C Sanford, narcotics, Mrs Vernon, juvenile work, Mrs H E. McMath prison work Mrs A B Gove, mercy Mrs O E Gifford, petitions, Mrs M Teeple, purity in literature and art, Mrs Baker, flower mission, Mrs L C Williams

Ten thousand tailors struck in New York yesterday and already there is fear that they will starve To the credit of the leaders be it said that they tried to prevent this ill-starred movement—Buffalo Express.

A MOTHER KNOWS.

Some Things People Don't Think Of

"Just why it is that children at the breakfast table will beg for a little coffee day after day, I am unable to say except that they have a deeply rooted desire to have what their parents do in the way of food and drink, then I believe they naturally like something hot to sip with a spoon, at any rate, the demand is there and I'm blest if it is nt hard to get over when one has three or four in the family, but we can't give our young folks coffee to drink, everyone knows its effect on children and it seems almost criminal to set before the innocents something we know will harm them"

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Miss Edith Russell left last evening for Astoria, Oregon where she will spend the summer months

Alfred J Case of this city graduated from the University of the Pacific yesterday and took the degree of Bacheior of Arts

Mrs M J Laymance returned from a brief visit to San Jose yesterday afternoon.

Miss Lucia Oliver will accompany Miss McMurry to her home in Weaverville this evening where she will spend the summer The young ladies are students at Mills College

A Hendler is in Los Angeles, to which place he was suddenly called by the illness of his father

Miss Winifred Morgan is going to Palo Alto next week On her return she will leave for Santa Cruz where she will visit with Mr and Mrs Zucker

Mrs W H Bias of Santa Cruz came to Oakland yesterday

Rev H Brueck has returned from Santa Cruz

Mr and Mrs Harold Ward are the guests of Mr and Mrs Seymour Herbert in Alameda

Dr and Mrs Bull of Alameda left last night for McCloud river

Miss Belle Owen has returned from a visit in Alvarado

Mr and Mrs P D Lowrie and Mr. and Mrs D Jackson of Alvarado visited Concord last week

Miss Alice Gay of Kern City is visiting in this city

Miss K Liston of Alvarado is visiting in Oakland.

Captain C B Fines is the guest of his son W F Fines, in Santa Rosa.

Prof C. B. Bradley of U C is in Chico

Miss Jennie Bush is visiting her cousin, Miss Marie Farmer, in Santa Rosa.

Prof W E. Ritter of the U C left for Calistoga yesterday

Mrs M Curtis and Miss Edith Brennan of Berkeley are in Santa Cruz

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The graduating exercises of St. Joseph's Academy, conducted by the sisters of St. Joseph in St. Patrick's Parish, West Oakland, took place this afternoon.

The hall was very prettily decorated with bunting and palms.

Festoons of pink and lavender over the platform and palms placed at intervals below made a very appropriate setting for the youthful graduates in their light gowns.

The exercises opened with a chorus by the class, "Wake the Song" by Cimarosa.

THE SALUTATORY.

The salutatory, "What Shall He Glean in the Harvest Time?" was admirably rendered by Miss Josie O'Connell.

"It is in vain that I have tried to penetrate the thick veil of the future," she said.

"I have pictured a wonderful mountain where all earth and heaven may be viewed at a glance. It reaches far into the clouds, the foot-stool of the great Creator who stands upon the golden ridge gazing lovingly down upon four little seeds which he fondly holds in His outstretched hand, seeds freshly culled from the tree of knowledge. Gently and fondly has He watched during these years over these fair little plants and now with tender care He prepares to cast them into the wide field of life, with one gentle sweep. We are these seeds, we, my dear class-mates, with one gentle sweep and we are cast into the broad field, but where?

"Shall it be by the way-side of frivolous society and idle gossip? Or shall it be on the barren soil of a useless life? A life spent outside the pale of God's service and God's love?

"In the meantime, while waiting to take this much dreaded step, let us hope and be brave. And why should we not be brave? Has not the whole tendency of our moral and intellectual training been to the proper direction of those faculties with which the almighty has blessed us?

"The bright days of youth are the seed-time. Every though of your intelligence, every principle you adopt, every act you perform, is a seed whose good or evil fruit will prove the bliss or blame of your life. Learning is valuable only so far as it serves to enlighten and enlarge the conscience, and the most varied dispensations, if they find us diligent at duty-doing well mature to sweetest fruition in the harvest time of the great sower."

A DRAMA.

"Wisdom and Pleasure," a drama, was excellently presented by eleven pupils of the institute. The cast was as follows: The Pilgrim, Miss Josie E. O'Connell; Conscience, Miss Gertrude May; Wisdom, Miss Mary Lefevre; Pleasure, Miss Delphine Gleason; Reason, Miss Emily Fletcher; Religion, Miss Mary Murphy; Mirth, Miss Mary Noone; Sport, Miss Kitty Ahren; Folly, Miss Kittie Marrington; Shame, Miss Lizzie Williams; Falsehood, Miss Nellie O'Conor.

The first scene is laid in the Valley of Pleasure, where a chorus of twenty voices sing the song "The Dwellers in the Valley."

THE THOUGHT LIVES.

Miss Evelyn T. Long's essay, "The Thinker Dies; The Thought Lives On," followed.

Miss Long spoke of the lasting influence of the works of such writers as Homer, Plato, Milton, Shakespeare, Dryden, Scott, Whittier, Irving, Longfellow and continued:

"Tennyson has wrapped science in a new vesture and united theme to immortal verse as it has seldom been done by English poets before him.

"Poetry has vitality as well as beauty," she said in conclusion. "It brings a practical uplifting to mind and heart in this life. Among the best and noblest of Americans who have spent and some times sacrificed their lives for humanity are our poets. They have lived and sung and many have died, but their words will ever live and echo blessings to many generations."

"Il Coniocola" was charmingly rendered by Misses Grace Quinn and Nellie Petera.

UNWRITTEN MUSIC.

Miss Mary Murphy's essay on "Unwritten Music" was well written and was delivered in an excellent manner.

"Do you seek for a song," she asked. "Let us go into the thicket among the oaks, or walk beneath the wayside pines whose towering tops seem to reach far into the clouds.

"In gentle sighings, tell to the heavens the joys and sorrows of man, and beneath whose trunks the grass seems to grow in patches resembling tiny sharp sand trebles. We wander on and we come to a beautiful cluster of foliage.

"One would think this song of the woods was the very voice of the life-giving sunshine. Truly may we say a great forest is one of the grandest and most charming scenes in nature. Melancholy they drink in the divine presence. They fill up the void left by some charming illusion that has passed away.

"Nature's pleasures are safe and enchanting. They form powerful agents of education, preserving us from evil pleasure and idle gossip. They fostered generous feeling and thus lead the mind to high and holy thoughts."

The valedictory by Miss Emily B. Fletcher was preceded by a instrumental duet, "Traviata," Miss Fletcher and Miss Hart, entitled, "Let Us Be Judged

The happiest moment in a woman's life is when she feels for the first time the clinging caress of her own baby's fingers. How many thousands of women miss this greatest, womanliest happiness, and live out dreary, babyless, loveless lives, because of ill-health. Every woman should realize the supreme importance of healthy vigor and strength of the organs distinctly feminine. Unless a woman is willing to be that least envied of her sex, a childless woman, she cannot afford to neglect this feature of her health.

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fulness and care in its preparation. She said:

"The thought of a daily talk strengthens us to greater deeds.

"Each one of us has, no doubt, a persistent purpose in view. For being gifted with reason and conscience, we are endowed with powers that make us capable of great achievements and of becoming what is noble and edifying. An aimless view of the future movement should not apply to mortal minds, for man is too significant in his creation to live thus. It is better to have a humble aim than none at all. Much depends on what we plan to do, but more on what we do. It is that which shows our true worth, and stamps firmness on the character with which we are blessed. It prompts us to cast an anxious glance into the distance and to take a view at the journey before us."

The address to the graduates by Rev. J. B. McNally concluded the interesting programme of songs and essays.

On Sunday next there will be a reunion of all the graduates of that institution.

St. Joseph's Academy.

The commencement exercises of St. Joseph's Academy, the preparatory school to St. Mary's College, were held yesterday in Elite Hall.

The house was well filled to listen to a long programme given under the direction of Brother Genebern, the director of the school. The exercises opened with a selection by the St. Mary's College orchestra, and included an address on the "Character of Washington," Clarence Colmer; dialogue, "Counting Chickens Before They're Hatched," M. Powers, M. Soulage, J. Coffey; solo, "When the Little Ones Come Home From School," O. Pray; "The Cup of Custard," Dalton McCarthy; "Troubles of Childhood," Maitland Barnes; dialogue, "Ned's Present," W. Blanco, O. Pray, A. Stocking, J. McCarthy; duet, "Music and Her Sister Song," C. Colmer, J. Kane; "The Little Boy's Speech," L. Degener, J. McDermott; L. Miller; "Our Flag," L. McCarthy, W. Biggy, F. McMahon, R. Bennett, J. Biggy; violin solo, James F. Moran; solo, "America is Ahead of Them All," Francis J. Smith; dialogue, "Don't Be Too Positive," Joseph Vasconi, George Dardane, George Jones, Alexander Young; solo, "Take This Letter to My Mother," Harry Mitchell; "The Spirit of the Union," Joseph I. Asencio; "Bernardo del Carpio," Stanley Wafer; solo and chorus, "Sweet Lady of the Sacred Heart," choir.

Music—medley, "Plantation Airs," S. M. C. Orchestra; "Sheridan's Ride," F. J. Smith; dialogue, "Tried for Blowin," C. Colmer, J. Kane, R. Bell, J. Mitchell, M. Golden, F. DeCastro, P. Fitzgerald; vocal solo, "A Boy's Best Friend is His Mother," James F. Moran; "Union and Liberty," William McMenamin; "Destruction of Sennacherib," Alfred Tilford; solo and chorus, "Silver Belles of Memory," choir; violin solo, C. F. Colmer; "Somebody's Mother," Otis Pray; "Farmer Nick's Scarecrow," Albert Stocking; solo, "Ben Bolt," John Kane; dialogue, "The Evil Adviser," P. Fitzgerald, F. Smith, H. Mitchell; solo, "The Sword of Bunker Hill," William McMenamin; "Curfew Shall Not Ring Tonight," F. J. Moran; piano solo, "Charge of the Uhlans," Joseph L. Asensio; dialogue, "Impressment of American Seamen," A. Tilford, W. McMenamin, J. F. Moran, H. Baker; solo and chorus, "Some Day I'll Wander Back Again," choir; music, march, "The Iron King," S. M. C. Orchestra.

St. Mary's Commencement.

The graduating class of St. Mary's College will hold its exercises in Macdonough Theater this evening and it is expected that the place will be crowded. Admission will be by invitation only.

Archbishop Riordan will present diplomas to the following graduates:

Bernard J. Flood, J. W. Solen, J. J. Greeley, J. A. Hughes, Joseph J. Hoosون and Thomas Maguire, who will each receive the degree of bachelor of arts. William P. Sullivan, who will be made a bachelor of science. There are also eighteen graduates from the commercial department.

The college band and glee club will render several selections and the following essays will be read: "Decoration Day," E. J. Flood; "National Aspirations," W. J. Solen; "Loyalty to the Constitution," W. A. Hughes; "Materialism of the Present Day," T. Maguire; "International Peace," J. J. Hoosون; "The Turk in Europe," J. J. Greeley; "Intolerance," W. P. Sullivan.

The winners of the Archbishop medal is W. P. Sullivan, and the winner of the Jufton medal for ancient classics is B. J. Flood. J. W. Solen will also receive a medal.

A PRACTICAL ADDRESS.

The Rev. Alfred Kummer, D. D., of this city addressed the Pacific Coast

FAVOR TEMPERANCE.

Leagues of the Cross Cadets Will Inveigh Against Drunkenness.

A grand rally of the League of the Cross of Alameda county will be held in St. Francis de Sales Hall, Twenty-second and Grove streets next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A splendid programme has been arranged for the occasion. An essay contest will be the principal feature, the subject being, "What Drunkenness Costs." The representatives of four parishes will compete, each of the contestants being the best essayist in the branch which he represents. Three prominent educators will act as judges. The essays are limited to one thousand words and consume about ten minutes in the reading. The winner will be presented with a silver medal and, as the representative of Alameda county, will enter the annual contest for the Archbishop Riordan gold medal which takes place in August. The contestants will be: Corporal J. A. Kennedy, Company N, St. Francis de Sales; Thomas F. Gregory, St. Joseph's, Berkeley; Private James McQuaid, Company F, St. Patrick's; Walter Motts, Sacred Heart, Temescal, Company F; Captain M. J. Hynes and Company N, Captain J. J. Power, will attend in full uniform. No admission fee will be charged. Prominent speakers will deliver addresses. Thomas H. Fallon, chairman of the executive committee will preside.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

The Baptist Union Talks on the Forth Coming Convention.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Baptist Church held a meeting last evening at the residence of Mrs. Briggs at 665 Eleventh street, but no action was taken concerning its withdrawal from the city union.

"That Oakland day was set apart by the general convention committee in San Francisco and it is intended to be a reception to Endeavorers, is well known," said the president. "It has been attempted in every way to get the support of the Endeavorers for this day. This celebration on Oakland day has been so interwoven with the convention itself that it is really a part of the convention. Therefore the Endeavorers have a vital interest in the members who arrange the celebration for Oakland day."

After the business meeting a social was held and a musical programme rendered.

A GOOD CAUSE.

Band of Mercy Boys Arrange a Very Attractive Programme.

An attractive entertainment will be given this evening in the Sunday School rooms of the First Unitarian Church under the auspices of the Oakland Band of Mercy of which Alfred V. R. Wilkie is president. The youthful society is doing a great deal of humane work and tonight's entertainment is given to meet current expenses. The programme includes numbers by members of the band, Miss Alice Partridge, mezzo soprano; Miss Bertha M. Clark, elocutionist; Reginald Travers, comedian and Alfred Wilkie, tenor. A bright and amusing comedietta "My Uncle's Will," will conclude the entertainment. The admission fee is ten cents.

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ANNEXATION MEETING.

The Piedmont school house will be the scene of a grand annexation rally tonight. E. M. Walsh will act as chairman and speeches will be made by William R. Davis, R. W. Snow and J. W. McClymonds. This is the last of the scheduled meetings.

The London mixed tea 50 cents per pound, blended and sold only by the New York Tea Company, 859 Broadway, between Seventh and Eighth. Telephone black 3062.

Gone Into Dry Dock.

The hull of the schooner Elvenia, which was wrecked off the Humboldt coast about a month ago, has been towed to the Merchants' dry dock to be repaired. Since the wreck the Elvenia has been lying in Oakland creek, where she was towed so that the lumber in her hold could be discharged.

Pork and beans, ham, etc.—Sternberg, 464 11th.

A Small Fire.

A fence fire at the residence of Mrs. M. McKnight at 517 Park avenue caused an alarm to be turned in from box 49 yesterday afternoon. The damage was nominal. The premises were owned by Mrs. S. Vincent.

THE LORIN JERSEY DAIRY.

The Lorin Jersey Dairy is the name of a new dairy company organized by Mr. Manuel Pedroso. Although the dairy is the one formerly owned by Mr. Curtin, whose cows were said to be affected with tuberculosis, Mr. Pedroso wishes it known that his milk is not supplied by the same cows, but is furnished by A. Avila & Co., whose place has been thoroughly examined by Drs. Pierce and Archibald, inspecting veterinarians, and who has been granted a certificate showing that his cattel are absolutely free of tuberculosis or any contagious or infectious disease.

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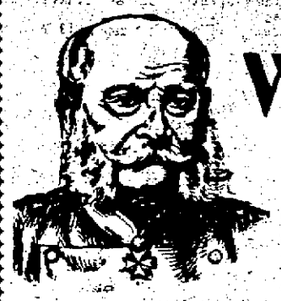

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TELEPHONE 188.

LEGAL.

PROPOSALS for lighting of streets and public buildings in the city of Oakland for the year ending June 30th, 1898.

Office of the City Clerk of the city of Oakland, May 22nd, 1897.

In accordance with Resolution No. 22,968, adopted May 17, 1897, sealed proposals will be received on or before 8 P. M. of the 7th day of June, 1897, at the City Clerk's office in the City Hall, and shall be endorsed "Proposals for Lighting the Public Streets and Public Buildings of the City of Oakland."

Said proposals must provide for the lighting of public streets by electricity alone, and the public buildings by a combination of gas and electricity.

First. Proposals for lighting the public streets by electricity alone shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles, wires, conductors, lamps and each and every appliance which may be necessary for electric lighting to be furnished and erected by the successful bidder. The wires and conductors to be thoroughly insulated and placed in such locations and in such manner as will prevent them from being tampered with or handled by any unauthorized person or persons, it being distinctly understood that the city shall not be responsible, but must be held blameless against any claim for damages for any injury or accident which may be occasioned by the wires or conductors and against any claim for damages by reason of any infringement of any patents or rights in the use of lamps, machinery or appliances connected with said electric lights.

The said lights to number not less than 462 and not more than 512 of 2,000 candle power, each commercially rated, and to be on masts or cranes of the height of those now in use and at the places where the same are now located, with the distinct understanding that the Council reserves the right to designate and change the location of each and every light and to change the height or character of the mast to be used at any particular location upon payment of the actual cost of labor in making such removals or changes.

Second. Said proposals to contain bids upon a moonlight schedule of lighting and upon an all night schedule as now in force under present contract for lighting the public streets, and upon per hour schedule as follows: Said lamps to be lighted upon the moon schedule during the months of April, May, June, July, August and September, and upon an all night schedule as now in force under contract for lighting the streets, during the months of October, November, December, January, February and March. For the sake of clearness in bidding, the moonlight schedule is understood to be the lighting of all lamps one hour after sunset and one hour before moonset, and the extinguishing of the lamps one hour before sunrise and one hour after moonrise, no lamps to be lighted on the night of the night after and the night before full moon.

Third. Bidders are to specify separately the price per hour for which they will furnish and light the lamps in accordance with the all night schedule and the per hour schedule as hereinbefore set forth; also to specify the price per night for each lamp when lighted according to the moonlight schedule; also to specify the price per month for each electric arc lamp of 2,000 candle power and the rate per thousand watts by meter measurement for incandescent lamps when furnished to public buildings. The Council reserves the right during the time of the contract to be entered into to order all of the street lamps to be lighted upon dark or cloudy nights through a proper officer to be hereafter designated, and to pay therefor the price per hour for each lamp so lighted; that may be designated by the bidders herein as the price at which the lamps will be lighted according to the all night or hour schedule.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a check, payable to the order of the Mayor and certified by responsible bank for the sum of $5,000.00. Any check accompanying any unaccepted bid shall be returned to the party furnishing the same when his bid is rejected; any check accompanying an accepted bid shall be retained by the City Clerk till the successful bidder shall have entered into a contract as herein provided, and then be returned to said bidder; but if such bidder shall refuse to enter into such contract and file a bond in the sum of $5,000 within five days after being awarded the contract, his check or bond shall be declared forfeited to the city of Oakland, and shall be collected and paid into the General Fund.

The Council to reserve the right to determine which method of lighting shall be adopted, and to reject any or all bids.

Oakland, May 22nd, 1897.

J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

By E. F. HOLLAND, Deputy.

Oakland, May 24th, 1897.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Martha H. Townsend, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Martha H. Townsend, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of Snook & Church, Room No. 3, Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, which said office the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Martha H. Townsend, deceased.

FREDERICK TOWNSEND, Administrator of the estate of Martha H. Townsend, deceased.

LEGAL.

ORDINANCE NO. —. An Ordinance regulating the paving and the digging up or disturbance of streets and public places, for the purpose of laying pipes and conduits and the re-filling of excavations and the repair of street surfaces.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

It shall be unlawful to pave or macadamize any public street or place prior to the construction of a main sewer therein; also all necessary side sewer branches which shall be built to the curb line. Said sewer shall be built in accordance with official plans and specifications, and under the supervision required by law, and a diagram showing the exact location of all side branches shall be kept on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets.

SECTION II.

Upon the passage by the City Council of a Resolution of Intention to improve any public street or place by macadamizing or re-macadamizing the same or by constructing thereon a pavement of any description, it shall immediately become the duty of the Street Superintendent to notify all persons, firms or corporations, known to be exercising the right and practice of laying pipes or conduits of any description in the public streets or places, to lay all main pipes or conduits, also all lateral or service connections needed for present or future use, to the inner curb line of the street, and to repair all existing pipes in any public street or place to be so improved, within twenty (20) days from date of notice; and it shall also be the duty of the Superintendent of Streets to notify all the owners of property upon the line of the street or place to be improved to make all sewer connections needed for present or future use to the inner curb line in front of their property, within thirty (30) days from date of notice.

SECTION III.

After a Resolution of Intention has been passed by the City Council to pave, repave, macadamize or re-macadamize any public street or place, all persons, firms and corporations and property owners shall, upon notice from the Superintendent of Streets, lay all main and lateral pipes or conduits needed for present or future use, within the time specified in said notice.

SECTION IV.

After the expiration of the time stated in the notice served by the Street Superintendent, to any person, firm or corporation to lay sewer, gas and water pipes, telephone or electric wire conduits, no permits shall be granted by the Secretary of the Board of Public Works to any of said parties to lay pipes or conduits of any description, between the curb lines of any of the public streets or places which are paved, re-paved, macadamized or re-macadamized subsequent to the passage and approval of this Ordinance, unless said parties shall first deposit with the Secretary of the Board of Public Works the sum of twenty-five cents (25c) per square foot of street surface to be disturbed, which money shall be paid by said Secretary, immediately after its receipt by him, into the City Treasury, and there held as a special fund to be used for the repair of streets disturbed under the provisions of this Ordinance, and all warrants drawn by the City Auditor upon the City Treasury for such work for repairs of streets shall be drawn upon the said fund which is hereby designated as "Street Repair Fund."

A diagram showing the location and extent of the proposed excavation shall be filed with the Secretary of the Board of Public Works, by any person applying for a permit to disturb any street or place within the provisions of this section (4) of this Ordinance.

SECTION V.

All excavations in streets now or hereafter improved with bituminous rock, asphalt, wood blocks or vitrified brick laid on concrete foundation, shall be re-filled with special care with a view to prevent settlement of the back filling, and the excavation shall be covered with a layer of Portland cement concrete at least six inches thick, which shall have a bearing of at least twelve (12) inches on undisturbed ground on each side of the trench. The concrete shall consist of one part good Portland cement, three parts clean, sharp sand and five parts of two inch broken stone, watered, mixed and tamped to the satisfaction of the Street Superintendent or his inspector, and maintained free from disturbance for at least five days, before being covered with the wearing surface of the pavement, which in all cases shall be of the same kind of material, but of best quality and equal in quantity, and laid on the same elevation throughout, as the original pavement existed before disturbed. If required by the Street Superintendent, the wearing surface of the pavement in such case shall be composed of entirely new materials, which shall be laid in accordance with the official specifications for such pavement.

SECTION VI.

All persons, firms or corporations who may make excavations in any public street or place under the provisions of this Ordinance, shall in the case of opening a street having a concrete foundation notify the Superintendent of Streets in writing, at least twenty-four hours before the day in which said persons, firms or corporations are to re-fill said street, whereupon, at the time stated in said notice, the Superintendent of Streets shall provide an inspector to superintend the execution of the work, whose compensation shall not exceed $5.00 per day, which compensation shall be paid in full by the person, firm or corporation doing said work. The said parties so re-filling said excavation shall at the time of the notice to the Street Superintendent deposit with him the sum of $50.00, or such other less sum as the Street Superintendent may require, and upon the satisfactory completion of the work, the said Street Superintendent shall remit to said person, firm or corporation the said sum of money so deposited, less the amount chargeable for the services of said inspector, at the rate of $5.00 per day; and the said Superintendent shall certify the completion of the work to the Secretary of the Board of Public Works.

SECTION VIII.

Nothing herein shall be construed as preventing the laying of gas or water pipes between the curb line and property line of any street, provided said pipe shall not exceed 2" internal in diameter, and provided further, that the consent of the property owners, in front of whose premises said pipe is to be laid, shall be first obtained.

SECTION VII.

All Ordinances and parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION IX.

Every person violating any requirement of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding $300.00, and in case said fine be not paid, then by imprisonment at the rate of one day for every $5.00 of the fine so imposed.

SECTION X.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., May 17, 1897.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fitnem, Girard, Heitmann, Hennesberry, Rowe, Upton, Watkinson and President Pringle—11.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

By E. F. HOLLAND, Deputy.

Notice of Special Election.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special election in and for the City of Oakland, and in and for that certain territory, lying and being in the Township of Oakland, hereinafter described and proposed to be annexed, all in the County of Alameda, State of California, to determine whether the boundaries of the City of Oakland shall be altered and new territory annexed and made a part of said city, will be held in said city of Oakland, and in said territory proposed to be annexed, all in the County of Alameda, State of California, on

THURSDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF JUNE, 1897.

Whereas, The Council of the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, did, by a certain Ordinance, No. 1801, passed by said Council on the 11th day of May, 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said City of Oakland, on the 11th day of May, 1897, proposed that there be submitted to the electors of said city and to the electors residing in certain new territory situate in the Township of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and in said ordinance described, which territory was proposed to be annexed to the City of Oakland, the question whether said new territory which is hereinafter described and was proposed to be annexed shall be annexed to and incorporated in and made a part of said city of Oakland, which said ordinance was entitled "An Ordinance providing for a special election to determine whether the boundaries of the City of Oakland shall be altered and new territory annexed and made a part of said City," to which said ordinance reference is hereby expressly made.

And, Whereas an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to incorporated towns and cities, and for the incorporation of such annexed territory, in and as a part of such municipalities and for the districting, government and municipal control of annexed territory," approved March 19th, 1889, provides that the boundaries of any incorporated town or city, whether heretofore or hereafter formed, incorporated, re-incorporated, organized or re-organized, may be altered, and new territory annexed thereto, incorporated and included therein, and made a part thereof, upon proceedings being had and taken as in the act provided,

Now, therefore, in conformity with the provisions of the statute hereinbefore cited, and the said ordinance, notice is given that a special election for the purpose of determining the question herein submitted, is hereby called and will be held in the said City of Oakland, and in the said new territory proposed to be annexed thereto (which said territory so proposed to be annexed is in said Ordinance and hereinafter specifically described), on Thursday, the 10th day of June, 1897.

For the purpose of submitting to the electors of said municipal corporation and to the electors residing in said territory by said ordinance so proposed to be annexed to said city and corporation the question whether such territory shall be annexed to and incorporated in and made a part of said city and municipal corporation and for no other purpose. Which said new territory so asked and proposed to be annexed to said City of Oakland is situated in the County of Alameda and State of California, and is bounded and described as follows, to wit:

BOUNDARIES.

All that certain piece or parcel of land and extent of land and territory situate in Oakland township, Alameda county, State of California, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point on the northern boundary line of the City of Oakland 150 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of San Pablo avenue, and measured at a right angle thereto, said beginning point being also the southeast corner of the Town of Emeryville, and running thence in a northerly direction along the easterly boundary line of the Town of Emeryville to the center line of Temescal creek, thence in a westerly direction following the center line of the bed of Temescal creek—being also the boundary line of the Town of Emeryville in said creek—to a point 730 feet distant westerly from the westerly line of San Pablo avenue measured at a right angle thereto, thence along the easterly line of the said Town of Emeryville in a northerly direction, running parallel with and 730 feet distant westerly from said line of San Pablo avenue to the southern boundary line of the Town of Berkeley, thence easterly following the boundary line of the Town of Berkeley to a point on said boundary line of the Town of Berkeley 125 feet distant westerly from the westerly line of College avenue—also known as College way—and measured at a right angle to said line of College avenue, thence in a southerly direction on a line parallel with and 125 feet distant westerly from said line of College avenue a distance of 1600 feet, thence at a right angle to said line of College avenue in an easterly direction to and across said College avenue to a point 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of said College avenue and measured at a right angle thereto, thence in a southerly direction along a line parallel with and 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of College avenue and its extension and measured at a right angle thereto, to a point on the southerly line of Clifton street, as said street is laid down, delineated and so designated on a map entitled Map of Rock Ridge, etc., filed in the office of the Recorder of Alameda County on August 4th, 1879, thence in an easterly direction along said line of Clifton street to the westerly line of McAdam street, as delineated and so designated on aforesaid Map of Rock Ridge, thence in a direct line due south to the line dividing plots Nos. 13 and 15, as said plots are delineated and so designated on a map entitled Map of the Rancho of Vicente and Domingo Peralta, etc., filed in the office of the Recorder of Alameda county on January 21st, 1857, said plot line is the western boundary line of the St. Mary's Cemetery, thence along said plot line in a southwesterly direction to the most western corner of said plot No. 15, thence in a southeasterly direction following the line dividing plots Nos. 14, and 15 as shown on map of aforesaid ranchos (the last named plot line being the southwesterly boundary of the St Mary's and Mountain View Cemeteries) to the westerly line of Piedmont Sanitary District, thence following the boundary line of Piedmont Sanitary District in a southerly and then in a southeasterly direction to its intersection with the said northern boundary line of the City of Oakland, and thence in a westerly direction along the said boundary line of the City of Oakland to the place of beginning.

The said special election shall be held and conducted, votes received and canvassed and returns made and the result determined according to the provisions of the said Act of March 19, 1889, and shall be in conformity as far as may be, with the general laws of this State concerning elections. The said question of the proposed annexation is hereby submitted to be voted upon by ballot at said special election by the qualified electors of said City of Oakland; and of said new terri-

day of election and shall be kept open until 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, when the polls shall be closed.

The voting precincts, the places of election or polling places therein at which the polls in such precincts will be opened on said day of special election in said City and in said territory proposed to be annexed have been and are in said ordinance No. 1801 established, created and designated as follows, and the following named persons have been by said ordinance appointed officers of election to act as such in the respective precincts and polling places preceding their names hereinbelow set forth, respectively and as follows, to-wit:

IN THE CITY OF OAKLAND.

FIRST WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the east by the center line of Wood street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; and on the south and west by the charter line of the City of Oakland.
Location of polling place—No. 1759 Seventh street.
Judges—J. A. Towne and Henry Schmidt.
Inspector—Tobias Feehan.

FIRST WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; on the east by the center line of Campbell street and extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Wood street and its extension southerly to the said charter line.
Location of polling place—No. 1685 Seventh street.
Judges—J. V. Powers and Henry Beales.
Inspector—John Mallett.

FIRST WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; on the east by the the center line of Center street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Campbell street and its extension southerly to said charter line.
Location of polling place—No. 1461 Seventh street.
Judges—P. J. Quinlan and W. C. Fleischauer.
Inspector—J. F. Hanley.

FIRST WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the east by a line described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street with the center line of Peralta street; thence southerly along the center line of Peralta street to the center line of Center street; thence southerly along the center line of Center street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; bounded on the south by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the said charter line of the City of Oakland.
Location of polling place—No. 1237 Peralta street.
Judges—J. C. Bullock and George Janvrin.
Inspector—M. J. O'Dea.

SECOND WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the east by the center line of Adeline street; on the south by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street and its extension westwardly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the charter line of the City of Oakland.
Location of polling place—Northeast corner Thirty-fourth and Peralta streets.
Judges—Daniel Teehan and John Paul Hannigan.
Inspector—G. W. Smith.

SECOND WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the east by the center line of Cemetery creek, being the old charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by a line described as follows: Beginning at a point where the said Cemetery creek is intersected by the center line of Prospect street; thence westerly along the center line of Prospect street and the center line of Caledonia street to the center line of Grove street; thence southerly along the center line of Grove street to the center line of Wallace or Twenty-eighth street; thence westerly along the center line of said Wallace or Twenty-eighth street to the center line of Adeline street; and bounded on the west by the center line of Adeline street.
Location of polling place—Northwest corner Thirty-fourth street and Telegraph avenue.
Judges—F. W. Little and Charles Fawcett.
Inspector—F. L. Cotton.

SECOND WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the center line of Wallace or Twenty-eighth street; on the east by the center line of Grove street; on the south by the center line of Charter or Twenty-second (22d) street, and on the west by the center line of Adeline street.
Location or polling place—No. 1129 San Pablo avenue.
Judges—George Taylor and James Sullivan.
Inspector T. W. Stokes.

SECOND WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded and described as follows:
Beginning at a point where the center line of Caledonia street intersects the center line of Grove street; thence easterly along the center line of Caledonia street and the center line of Prospect street to the center line of Cemetery creek, being the old charter line of the City of Oakland; thence northerly along said Cemetery creek to a point where said Cemetery creek is intersected by the northern boundary line of the City of Oakland; thence easterly along the northern boundary line of the City of Oakland to its intersection with the dividing line between Oakland and Brooklyn townships; thence southerly and westerly along said dividing line to the old charter line of said city; thence westerly along said old charter line to the center of the western arm of Lake Merritt; thence northerly along the center of

Judges—Ben Marston and N. Collins.
Inspector—B. F. Armstrong.

THIRD WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Third ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street; on the east by the center line of Market street; on the south by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; and on the west by a line described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twelfth (12th) street with the center line of Center street; thence northerly along the center line of Center street to the center line of Peralta street; thence northerly along the center line of Peralta street to the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street.
Location of polling place—N. E. corner Fourteenth and Adeline streets.
Judges—William Gross and H. J. Eaton.
Inspector—B. Maloon.

THIRD WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Third ward of the City of Oakland bounded and described as follows:
Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twelfth (12th) street with the center line of Market street; thence northerly along the center line of Market street to the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street; thence easterly along the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street to the center line of Brush street; thence southerly along the center line of Brush street to the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street; thence easterly along the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street to the center line of Jefferson street; thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) street, and thence westerly along the center line of Twelfth (12th) street to the place of beginning.
Location of polling place—Northeast corner of Seventeenth and Market streets.
Judges—J. I. Palmer and C. R. Lewis.
Inspector—E. T. Thurston Sr.

THIRD WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Brush street with the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street; thence easterly along the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street to the center line of Telegraph avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Seventeenth (17th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Seventeenth (17th) street to the center line of Jefferson street; thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street to the center of Brush street, and thence northerly along the center line of Brush street to the place of beginning.
Location of polling place—No. 414 San Pablo avenue.
Judges—William Gall and P. A. Cameron.
Inspector—J. S. Burpee.

FOURTH WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; on the east by the center line of Adeline street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Center street and its extension southerly to said charter line.
Location of polling place—No. 1250 Seventh street.
Judges—G. W. Hoguet and B. Kriemberg.
Inspector—Louis Scheeline.

FOURTH WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fourth ward of tho City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street; on the east by the center line of Market street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the said charter line of the City of Oakland; on the west by the center line of Adeline street and its extension southerly to the charter line.
Location of polling place—No. 974 Seventh street.
Judges—D. Danahey and John Muller.
Inspector—James Kelly.

FOURTH WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland described as follows:
Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Adeline street with the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; thence easterly along the center line of Twelfth (12th) street to the center line of Jefferson street; thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Tenth (10th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Tenth (10th) street to the center line of Castro street; thence southerly along the center line of Castro street and its extension to the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence westerly along said charter line to extension southerly of the center line of Market street; thence northerly to and along the center line of Market street to the center line of Tenth (10th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Tenth (10th) street to the center line of Adeline street, and thence northerly along the center line of Adeline street to the place of beginning.
Location of polling place—No. 853 Market street.
Judges—Owen Feeney and James Shanley.
Inspector—M. H. Bernheim.

FOURTH WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street; on the east by the center line of Jefferson street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the charter line, and on the west by the center line of Castro street and its extension southerly to the said charter line.
Location of polling place—No. 878 Seventh street.
Judges—R. Wainwright and George Kirk.
Inspector—Richard Orme.

FIFTH WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fifth ward of the City of Oakland bounded and described as follows:
Beginning at a point where the center line of Broadway street intersects the center line of Tenth (10th) street; thence northerly along the center line of Broadway street to the center line of Delger or Twentieth street; thence easterly along the center line of Delger or Twentieth street to the old charter line of the City of Oakland in the northwest arm of Lake Merritt; thence northerly along said old

ter line of Tenth (10th) street to the place of beginning.
Location of polling place—1159 Washington street.
Judges—R. Balmforth and Arthur Jones.
Inspector—W. B. Jones.

FIFTH WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fifth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the center line of Delger or Twentieth street and its extension easterly to the old charter line of the City of Oakland, and by the said old charter line of the City of Oakland, on the east by the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn township; on the south by the center line of Thirteenth (13th) street and its extension easterly to the said township line, and on the west by the center line of Broadway.
Location of polling place — Northwest corner of Webster and Fourteenth streets.
Judges—S. A. Cohen and R. Rosenberg.
Inspector—J. C. Alexander.

FIFTH WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fifth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the center line of Thirteenth (13th) street and its extension easterly to the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships; on the east by said line dividing said townships, on the south by the center line of Tenth (10th) street and its extension easterly to said township line, and on the west by the center line of Broadway street.
Location of polling place — Schellhaas' store, Eleventh and Franklin streets.
Judges—James Eddie and V. R. Remmer.
Inspector—M. J. O'Gara.

SIXTH WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street; on the east by the center line of Washington street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the center line of Jefferson street and its extension southerly to said charter line.
Location of polling place—No. 503 Seventh street.
Judges—John Bodell and Frank Barnett.
Inspector—M. K. Houghton.

SIXTH WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the center line of Seventh (7th) street; on the east by the center line of Harrison street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Washington street and its extension southerly to said charter line.
Location of polling place—722 Webster street.
Judges—W. H. Rodgers and J. H. Martin.
Inspector—J. J. Lerri.

SIXTH WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street; on the east by the center line of Webster street; on the south by the center line of Seventh (7th) street, and on the west by the center line of Washington street.
Location of polling place—No. 407 Eighth street.
Judges—T. W. Baily and O. Page.
Inspector—James Hackett.

SIXTH WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:
Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street and its extension easterly to the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships on the east by said township line, on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by a line described as follows: Beginning at a point where the center line of Webster street intersects the center line of Tenth street, thence southerly along the center line of Webster street to the center line of Seventh (7th) street, thence easterly along the center line of Seventh (7th) street to the center line of Harrison street, and thence southerly along the center line of Harrison street to the charter line of the City of Oakland.
Location of polling place—Pumyea's stable, Eighth and Alice streets.
Judges—Caesar Isaacs and J. W. Bonsack.
Inspector—George Atkinson.

SEVENTH WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Seventh ward in the City of Oakland bounded and described as follows:
Beginning where the center line of Eighth avenue, if extended southerly, would intersect the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence northerly to and along the center line of Eighth avenue to the center line of Twenty-eighth (28th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Twenty-eighth (28th) street to the center line of Matthew avenue; thence northeasterly along the center of Matthew avenue to the center of Hopkins street; thence easterly along the center line of Hopkins street to the center line of Thirteenth avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the center line of Millbury street at the south-east corner of the lands of John Hampel; thence northwesterly along the southern line of the lands of John Hampel to the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships; thence southwesterly and southerly along said township line to the charter line on the southern boundary of the City of Oakland; thence easterly along said charter line to the place of beginning.
Location of polling place—No. 277 East Twelfth street.
Judges—Eugene Warren and C. D. Hayes.
Inspector—S. J. Pringle.

SEVENTH WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Seventh ward in the City of Oakland, described as follows:
Beginning at a point where the center line of Eighth avenue, if extended southerly, would intersect the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence northerly to and along the center line of Eighth avenue to the center line of East Twenty-eighth (28th) street; thence westerly along the center line of East Twenty-eighth street to the center line of Matthew avenue; thence northeasterly along the center line of Matthew avenue to the center line of Hopkins street; thence easterly along the center line of Hopkins street to the center line of Thirteenth avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the center line of East Twenty-eighth street; thence westerly along the center line of East Twenty-eighth street to the center of Eleventh (11th) avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Eleventh (11th) avenue to the center line of East Eighteenth street; thence easterly along the center line of East Eighteenth

Judges—J. M. Sabin and Edw. Reed.
Inspector—H. S. Tuttle.

SEVENTH WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Seventh ward in the City of Oakland described as follows:
Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Millbury street with the center line of Thirteenth avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the center line of East Twenty-eighth street; thence westerly along the center line of East Twenty-eighth street to the center line of Eleventh (11th) avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Eleventh avenue to the center line of East Eighteenth street; thence easterly along the center line of East Eighteenth street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Twelfth avenue to the center line of East Twelfth street; thence easterly along the center line of East Twelfth street to the center line of Commerce street; thence southerly along the center line of Commerce street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence easterly along said charter line to where the center line of Nineteenth (19th) avenue, if extended southerly, would intersect said charter line; thence northerly to and along the center line of Nineteenth (19th) avenue to the center line of Fourteenth (14th) avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Fourteenth avenue to the southern boundary line of the Lynn homestead; thence easterly along the said line of said Lynn homestead to the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence northerly, easterly and thence northerly following the said charter line to the intersection of Sausal creek with the eastern extension of the northern boundary line of the City of Oakland; thence westerly along said extension of said boundary line to its intersection with the dividing line between Oakland and Brooklyn townships; thence southwesterly along said dividing line to the southwesterly line of land of Hampel; thence southeasterly along said line of land of Hampel to the point of beginning.
Location of polling place—No. 1105 Thirteenth avenue.
Judges—Jeff Gillan and George H. Vose.
Inspector—Paul Wuthe.

SEVENTH WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Seventh ward in the City of Oakland described as follows:
Bounded on the north by the southern boundary of the Lynn homestead; on the east and south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the center line of Nineteenth (19th) avenue and by that portion of Commerce street lying northerly from Nineteenth street.
Location of polling place—No. 1105 Twenty-third avenue.
Judges—W. H. Brown and H. B. Witt.
Inspector—H. S. Knapp.

IN ANNEXED TERRITORY.

The entire territory proposed to be annexed and as above specifically described is established as five election precincts, and the polling places in such precincts are hereby fixed and designated at the following places, to-wit:

GOLDEN GATE PRECINCT.

Which shall consist of all that portion of Oakland township bounded and described as follows: All that territory bounded on the west by the eastern charter line of the Town of Emeryville, on the north by the southern charter line of the Town of Berkeley, on the east by the center line of Adeline street, on the south by Temescal creek.
Location of polling place — Klinkner block, corner of San Pablo avenue and Klinkner avenue.
Judges of election—Peter Norberg and W. B. Firman.
Inspector—J. M. Page.

PERALTA PRECINCT.

Which shall consist of that portion of Oakland township bounded as follows: All that territory bounded on the north by the charter line of the Town of Berkeley, on the east by a line described as follows: Commencing at a point in the charter line of the Town of Berkeley 125 feet distant westerly from the westerly line of College avenue—also known as College way—and measured at a right angle to said line of College avenue, thence in a southerly direction on a line parallel with and 125 feet distant westerly from said line of College avenue a distance of 1600 feet, thence at a right angle to said line of College avenue in an easterly direction to and across said College avenue to a point 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of said College avenue and measured at a right angle thereto, thence in a southerly direction along a line parallel with and 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of College avenue, to its intersection with the center line of Temescal creek, bounded on the south by the center line of Temescal creek, and on the west by the center line of Adeline street.
Location of polling place—Store of M. P. Manning, N. W. corner of Canning street and Harlow avenue.
Judges of election—J. R. McGregor and H. C. Babcock.
Inspector—C. Scoville.

TEMESCAL PRECINCT NO. 1.

Which shall consist of that portion of Oakland township bounded as follows:
All that territory bounded on the north by the center line of Temescal creek, bounded on the east by a line described as follows: Beginning where the center line of Telegraph avenue intersects the charter line of the City of Oakland, running thence northerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Shattuck avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Shattuck avenue to the center line of Temescal creek; bounded on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the charter line of the Town of Emeryville.
Location of polling place—Vacant store, N. s. 45th street, 150 feet west of Grove street.
Judges — Frank Valerga, Geo. S. Natsmith.
Inspector—Chas. E. Proctor.

TEMESCAL PRECINCT NO. 2.

Which shall consist of that portion of Oakland township bounded as follows:
All that territory bounded on the north by the center line of Temescal creek; on the east by a line described as follows: Beginning at a point in the center line of Temescal creek, distant 275 feet easterly from the easterly line of College avenue, measured at a right angle thereto, thence running in a southerly direction along a line parallel with and 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of College avenue, and its extension, measured at a right angle thereto to a point on the southerly line of Clifton street, thence in a westerly direction along the southerly line of Clifton street to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Broadway, thence southerly along the southeasterly line of Broadway to its intersection with the charter line of the City of Oakland;

Inspector—W. R. Moody.

PIEDMONT PRECINCT.

Which shall consist of that portion of Oakland township bounded as follows:
Bounded on the west by the southeasterly line of Broadway, on the north and east by a line described as follows: Beginning at the point of intersection of the southeasterly line of Broadway with the southerly line of Clifton street, and running thence in an easterly direction along said line of Clifton street to the westerly line of McAdam street, thence in a direct line due south to the line dividing plots Nos. 13 and 15, as said plots are delineated and so designated upon a map entitled Map of the Rancho of Vicente and Domingo Peralta etc., filed in the office of the Recorder of Alameda county on January 21st, 1857, said plot line is the western boundary line of the St. Mary's Cemetery, thence along said plot line in a southwesterly direction to the most western corner of said plot No. 15, thence in a southeasterly direction following the line dividing plots Nos. 14 and 15, as shown on map of aforesaid ranchos (the last named plot line being the southwesterly boundary of the St. Mary's and Mountain View Cemeteries) to the westerly line of Piedmont Sanitary district, thence, following the boundary line of Piedmont Sanitary District in a southerly and then in a southeasterly direction to its intersection with the said northern boundary line of the City of Oakland, bounded on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland.
Location of polling place—Store of J. T. Hawley, N. E. corner of Piedmont and Glen avenues.
Judges—E. Rufus Hill and Geo. W. Kelly.
Inspector—C. H. Starkweather.
Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
By E. F. HOLLAND, Deputy.
Oakland, May 12th, 1897.

Assessor's Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax Notice.

Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax for two dollars each for the year 1897, is now due and payable at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Section 3829 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

The same laws apply to the collection of Road Poll Tax as to the collection of State Poll Tax.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 15, 1897, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1897

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629 Political Code becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars, and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assesor by mail on or before March 15th, 1897, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1897.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.
No. 4203.
In the matter of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased.
Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate should not be made.

It appearing to the satisfaction of said Court by the duly verified petition this day presented and filed by P. F. Benson and E. M. Paterson, the executors of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased, praying for an order of sale of real estate, that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion of the real estate belonging to the estate of said deceased, to pay the debts outstanding against the said deceased, and the debts, expenses and charges of administration:

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before said Superior Court on Monday, the 14th day of June, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of said Court, Department No. 4, at the Courthouse in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, then and there to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said executors to sell so much of said real estate as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published four successive weeks in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said Alameda county.

Dated May 7th, 1897.
F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of the estate of Josephine Schnelly, deceased.
Notice of time set for proving will, etc.
Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Josephine Schnelly, deceased, and for the issuance to Joseph Schnelly of letters testamentary

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance regulating the holding of public meetings in any public street, square, park, lane, alley, court or other public place, or at or in front of the entrance to any public building situated within the fire limits in the city of Oakland.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

It is hereby declared to be unlawful for any person or persons to conduct or take part in any public meeting held on any public street, or in any square, park, lane, alley, court or other public place, or at or in front of the entrance to any public building within the fire limits in the city of Oakland, unless permission to hold such public meeting shall first have been obtained in writing from the Mayor of the said city of Oakland. Said permission in writing shall designate the time and place, when and where, such meetings shall be held.

SECTION II.

Any person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be fined in a sum not to exceed one hundred ($100.00) dollars, and in case said fine be not paid, then the person or persons so fined shall be imprisoned in the City Prison of the city of Oakland at the rate of one (1) day for every two ($2.00) dollars of the fine so imposed or remaining unpaid.

SECTION III.

Ordinance No. 1676, entitled "An Ordinance regulating the holding of public meetings on any public street situated within the fire limits in the city of Oakland," approved March 21st, 1895, and all other Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION IV.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., May 17th, 1897.
Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton and President Pringle—8.
Noes—Messrs. Fibush, Girard and Watkinson—3.
Absent—None.
Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
Oakland, May 25th, 1897.

Notice for sealed proposals to redeem municipal bonds of the city of Oakland. Public notice is hereby given by the Treasurer of the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, that he has now on hand, in the City Treasury of the said city of Oakland, the sum of ten thousand ($10,000) dollars for the purpose of the redemption of bonds numbers twenty-three to thirty-two (23 to 32), both numbers inclusive, issued in accordance with an act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide funds for the city of Oakland," approved March 27th, 1872, which said act may be found on page 590 of the statutes of the State of California for the year 1871-72.

That the said City Treasurer will receive sealed proposals for the surrender of the aforesaid bonds at the rates not exceeding par value.

Said sealed proposals will be received at the office of the said City Treasurer, at the City Hall of the said City of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, each day, excepting Sundays and legal holidays, from 9 oclock A. M. until 5 o'clock P. M. from and after May 13th, 1897, up to and including the 21st day of June, A. D. 1897, and said sealed proposals will be opened by the said City Treasurer at his said office at the hour of 12 o'clock noon on the 22nd day of June, 1897, in the presence of the President of the City Council of the said city of Oakland.

And they shall accept the lowest proposals at rates not exceeding par value, as may redeem the greatest number of bonds, until the amount of said $10,000 is exhausted.

Dated Oakland, Cal., May 12th, 1897.
Z. T. GILPIN,
City Treasurer of the city of Oakland, Alameda county, California.

Notice for sealed proposals to redeem municipal bonds of the city of Oakland. Public notice is hereby given by the Treasurer of the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, that he has now on hand, in the City Treasury of the said city of Oakland, the sum of $9,000 (nine thousand dollars), for the purpose of the redemption of bonds numbered from eight to thirteen (8 to 13) of the denomination of $1,000 each.

Also bonds numbered from seven to twelve (7 to 12) of the denomination of $500 each. Each of the above mentioned numbers are to be understood to be inclusive. Said bonds issued in accordance with an act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide for the liquidation of the floating indebtedness of the city of Oakland, to prevent the incurring of further debts," approved March 30th, 1874, which said act may be found on page 790, etc., of the statutes of the State of California for the year 1873-4.

That the said City Treasurer will receive sealed proposals for the surrender of the aforesaid bonds at the rates not exceeding par value.

Said sealed proposals will be received at the office of the said City Treasurer, at the City Hall of the said City of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, each day, excepting Sundays and legal holidays, from 9 oclock A. M. until 5 o'clock P. M. from and after May 13th, 1897, up to and including the 21st day of June, A. D. 1897, and said sealed proposals will be opened by the said City Treasurer at his said office at the hour of 12 o'clock noon on the 22nd day of June, 1897, in the presence of the President of the City Council of the said city of Oakland.

And they shall accept the lowest proposals at rates not exceeding par value, as may redeem the greatest number of bonds, until the amount of said $9,000 is exhausted.

Dated Oakland, Cal., May 12th, 1897.
Z. T. GILPIN,
City Treasurer of the city of Oakland, Alameda county, California.

Notice of Street Work.—Notice is hereby given, that on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1897, the City Council of the city of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention No. 22,919 to order the following street work to be done, viz:

That Cedar street in said city, from the southern line of Seventh street to the northern line of the right of way of the Central Pacific Railroad, excepting therefrom, the crossing of 5th or William street and also excepting therefrom such portion as is required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, be graded to the official line and grade, curbed with wood and macadamized with class C macadam; also that gutters three feet in width of broken rock and grouted be constructed thereon.

For further particulars, reference is hereby made to said Resolution and specifications for street work on file in the office of the City Clerk of the city of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in the Oakland Tribune, [illegible] the newspaper designated by said City Council for such publication.

Oakland, May 23d, 1897.
M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Johanne Hiegel, deceased.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator with will annexed of the estate of Johanne Hiegel, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said [illegible]

A FATHER'S PRIDE—HIS "FRISCO" BOYS.

MR. RAFFLESTEIN—S' hellup me gracious! You poys are dressed shoost like I dells you. Now, ven I galls Ikey inter der shop, Ikey gomes in, undt ven I galls Shakop, Shakop gomes in. See? Ve vill half no gustomers leaf our store no more!

MR. HAYSEED—Don't you think the suit be too small for me, and the hat too large?

MR. RAFFLESTEIN—Too small? Oh, mein gracious! Vot ignorance! Dot fit is shoost der style. Vait, I galls mein sohn, Ikey. He shows you. Ikey!

MR. RAFFLESTEIN—Dere you see mein sohn Ikey. He is galled der "Peau Prummel of der Stiff House." Der best dressed man on del street. See der fit of his glothings. Shoost like yours. You takes der suit? Goodt! You gan make no mistakes by copying der styles from mein sohn, Ikey.

MR. VERDANT (the next customer)—This suit here is too darned big for me! This hat is too small, too!

MR. RAFFLESTEIN—Oh, mein fadders! Dese country beoples vat knows noddings about der new English styles. Vait till I gall mein sohn, he vill show you. Shakop! Shakop!

MR. RAFFLESTEIN—Too large, you says? Shoost yatch mein sohn, Shakop. Dey make der fashion plates from dot poy. He vears only der latest styles. You takes der suit? Goodt! You shows goodt schudgement, mein friendt, in following dot most stylish poy in der town.

INTELLIGENT PEOPLE

Are commencing to know GENUINE BARGAINS from the COUNTERFEIT KIND, which run riot all over town. HENCE THE PHENOMENAL RUSH OF BUSINESS AT OUR TEMPORARY QUARTERS. It's almost impossible to wait upon the crowds at some hours during the day and evening. GOOD, STYLISH AND WELL-FITTING CLOTHING WAS NEVER BEFORE SLAUGHTERED AT SUCH RIDICULOUSLY LOW FIGURES as we are now compelled to name during this compulsory slaughter of fine clothin g, hats and furnishing goods. All we ask is for you to look all over town at what other dealers offer you in print, by word of mouth or show of windows. Then come to us and effect

A POSITIVE SAVING OF FULLY 35 TO 50 PER CENT ON YOUR PURCHASES.

Note These Prices!

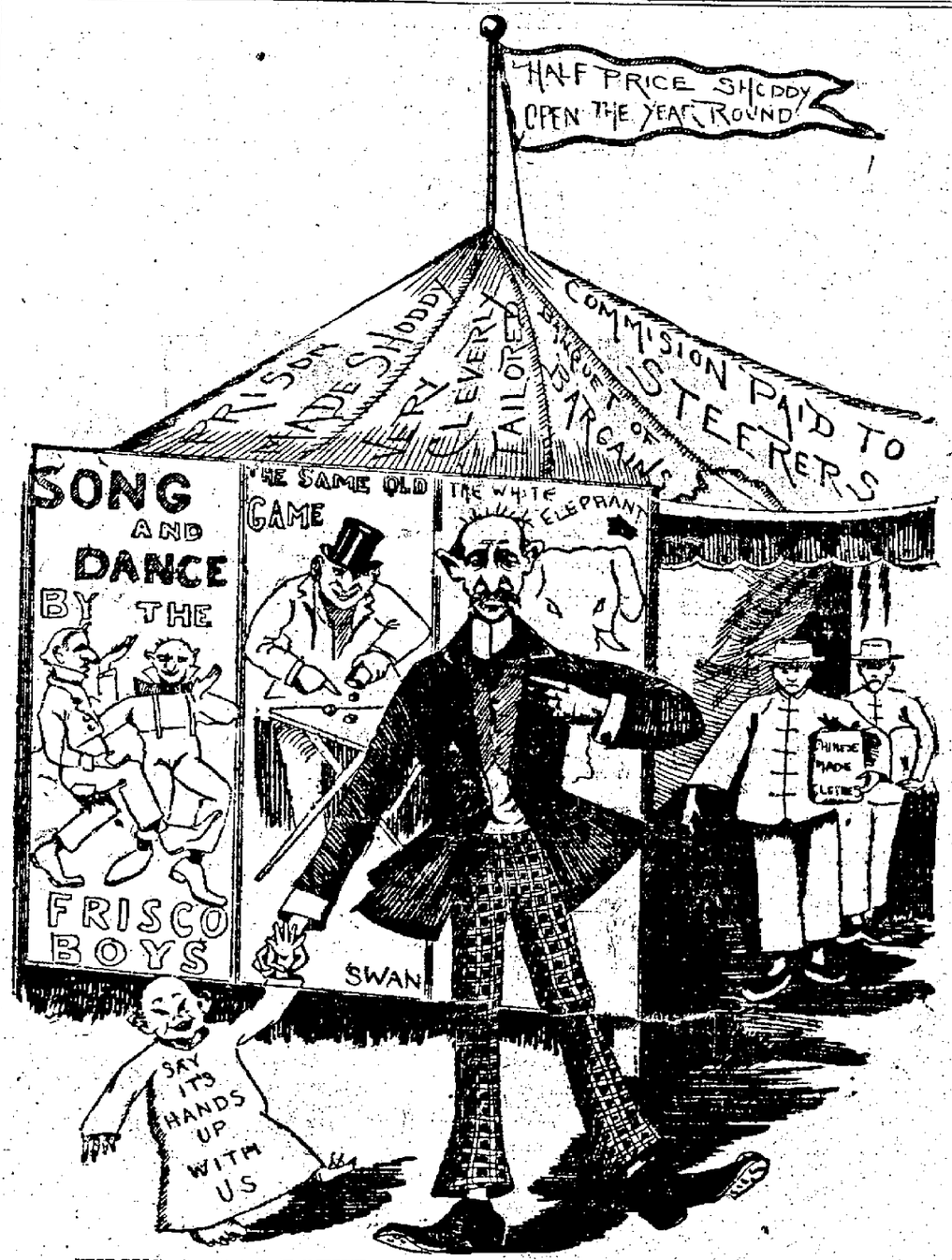
Then bring this advertisement with you for reference. Satisfaction guaranteed and your money back if you want it.

Men's $12.50 Suits . . Will go at **$6.50**

Men's $15.00 Overcoats . Will go at **$8.75**

Men's $17.50 Dress Suits Will go at **$9.50**

Men's $4 Cassimere Pants Will go at **$1.95**



JULIUS CÆSAR DOTHEMUP (to Yallar Kid)—Dose Block-Stine labels are about all gone oudt. Run up to de HUB, who sells dere Gouds, and see if you can Goniff some for our Foreman, Won Lung—the first-born Tailor of Chinatown.

YALLAR KID—Yulius, you're on to yer job, as dose Satinet Suits you MARKED DOWN FROM $5 TO $9.99 are about all gone. YULE, youse a disey, but don't let dem drummers pull yer leg wid de brush off dat you're Fly, for dey might let dem Block-Stine Peebles know how you've faked de Countrymen wid dere trademark.

Mothers, Parents AND Guardians!

It's not idle talk with us when we say that WE CAN SELL YOU TWO SUITS FOR YOUR BOYS (during this Great Compulsory Sacrifice Sale) AT ABOUT WHAT ONE WILL POSITIVELY COST YOU ELSEWHERE. Every one knows full well that we ONLY MANUFACTURE AND SELL RELIABLE CLOTHES for boys' wear, and as WE MUST UNLOAD our mammoth stock AT ONCE, WE'VE CUT PRICES in our boys' clothing FAR BELOW the corner-stone of Rock Bottom. Come and inspect our line of boys' and children's fine and richly tailored suits and overcoats, and if we can't

SAVE YOU MANY DOLLARS ON YOUR PURCHASES

We won't ask or ever expect your valuable patronage

Note These Prices!

Then bring this advertisement with you for reference. Satisfaction guaranteed and your money back if you want it.

Child's $4.00 Reefer Suits (ages 4 to 10), will go at **$1.95**

Child's $5 2-Piece Suits (ages 9 to 14), will go at **$2.45**

Boys' $7.00 3-Piece Suits, ages 13 to 19, will go at **$3.75**

Boys' $8.50 3-Piece Suits ages 13 to 19 will go at **$4.95**

This Sale is but for a short period, so come at once and make your selections from the BEST CLASS OF CLOTHING OBTAINABLE in this State or any other State in the Universe.

Store Open Every Evening During This Great Sale.

THE HUB

Store Open Every Evening During This Great Sale.

Temporary Quarters: 220-224 SUTTER ST.

3 doors West of Kearny Street

ALONG THE COAST.

Great is the law, and greater is the Supreme Court's application of the law! Sargant loses a valuable piece of land that was stolen from him, and can-

at a figure just below the cost of coal. The success that has attended the operations may encourage other railroads to acquire oil land and produce their own fuel. The increased comfort of railroad traveling resulting from the use of oil will be appreciated by the

generally being the insertion of a long, keen-bladed knife in the vitals of one or more of the party, a cheerful way the proud descendants of the Montezumas have of settling a dispute.

With the death of Mrs. Ysidore Ben-

The Council was in a compliant humor yesterday and adopted without winking the plans and estimates of the new school buildings as submitted by the Board of Education. One Councilman acknowledged that he had never seen the reports which were so hastily

TALES OF TAILORS.

The New York tailors, in order to handle the strike, will, of course, organize in nines.—Council Bluffs Nonpareil.

pose to join them, and we are told 2,500 shops are idle. Possibly we can go back to the ancient methods and the women in the homes proceed to gather their thimbles and machines and clothe their families. A little more of that kind of work would be healthful to

a condition to pay better prices for them and to buy them more frequently. As things stand today, it is doubtful if the condition of the clothing trade warrants any considerable advance in tailors' wages.—Boston Herald.